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THE VERDICT.

William Howard Taft has been elected (or will be when the electoral college meets) President of the United States to succeed Theodore Roosevelt. This result was foreshadowed in a forecast given in the Star of last Sunday in the following paragraph:

"The result of the presidential election is in doubt, it all depending on whether Carnegie and the Steel Trust and Rockefeller and the Standard Oil or 'the people shall rule.'"

The remarkable feature about the result in New York is the fact that Bryan received so much better support in the counties outside Greater New York than he did in the city itself. This is partially attributable to the diversion of Democratic votes to Hearst's man, Hisgen; but we cannot escape the conclusion that Tammany traded Bryan off for Chanler. It is manifest that, with the large labor vote for Bryan in Greater New York, Tammany was guilty of gross treachery.

North Carolina, true to white supremacy, which will be leading issue in the South in the next campaign, has given a large majority—fully as large as we expected—for both the State and National tickets.

The total vote of New Hanover was very close to our forecast, as was the majority for Kitchin, though the vote cast by the Republicans and What Nots was about 125 in excess of our figures. The prohibition Folly is largely responsible for the result in this county.

As we write, 10 P. M., it is too early to give the result for members of the next national House of Representatives. From advices now at hand North Carolina has elected eight of the ten Congressmen, leaving the Eighth and Tenth districts in doubt.

We believe our forecast of Sunday estimating the Democratic majority in North Carolina at 25,000 to 30,000 will not vary largely from the actual result. Glenn's majority in 1904 was 49,000.

Full details of the election will be found in our telegraph columns.

What an uneasy time all the pie-hunters had yesterday.

Standard Oil will have to go back to the courts now for advertisement.

Roosevelt thought of course Rockefeller was a strong advocate of "post-election publicity."

That was some tall claiming done on Monday by both national committee chairmen.

Now that the campaign is over mud can again be used for the purposes it was originally intended.

What will the political spellbinders do now? Many will find their occupation gone, for four years at least.

The Republican campaign managers found out that Standard Company's oil does not smooth the troubled waters.

An exchange remarks that the defeat of Cannon was something it had always looked upon as too good to come true.

The President ought to have put in his proclamation that the people should return thanks that the campaign is over.

Wonder if the Socialist Labor party's nominee for President had a special wire run into his quarters yesterday so he could get the election news early?

Anyhow, the Horse Editor of The Morning Star was yesterday elected a Justass of the Peace for the county of New Hanover, and State aforesaid. Isn't that glory enough for one day?

We bet the vote of the members of the newspaper fraternity, if taken today, would be unanimously in favor of increasing the length of the President's term of office to eight years.

Eight years ago in this State it was called a campaign of education, four years ago one of industrial progress. What are the campaign nominees going to call the one just ended?

The Charlotte Chronicle asks which county now holds the Vance banners. It says the banner passed east from Catawba several elections ago. Whoever knows which county holds it will please speak out.

The next thing in order is Thanks giving day, when we will all give thanks for the results of yesterday—those who were successful, for their victory and those who were defeated, that it was no worse.

MAGNIFICENT PARADE FEATURE OF ELKSFEST

Splendid Street Pageant Yesterday Afternoon Attracted Great Gathering of People—Midway at Elksplaz Last Night Thronged With Merry-makers—Announcements.

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With a magnificent civic and floral parade yesterday afternoon along the principal streets of the city, the opening of the merry midway immediately upon its conclusion, band concerts and a gay carnival of fun and frolic out at Elksplatz until 12 o'clock last night, the Elksfest and Fall Festival may now be said to be well on its way to a triumphant success.

Today the programme includes the splendid Elks Society Circus and parade, the latter starting from the grounds at 2:30 o'clock and completing the circuit of the principal streets of the city at 4:30 o'clock at the grounds; the circus itself beginning tonight at 8:30 o'clock and a never-out and never over exhibition of all the shows on the merry midway until a late hour again tonight.

The parade will start at 17th and Princess streets and the route will be down Market to Fifth, up Fifth to Nun, down Nun to Front and up Front to Red Cross; thence up Red Cross to Fourth, to Market and again out to the grounds. The parade promises to be one of the largest and most unique ever seen in Wilmington. It will include not only the best that there is in the local performers but many professional acts and features contributed by King & Tucker's Great City Railroad Shows which arrived yesterday and spread canvas for the various exhibitions to be given during the week. The programme for the circus has already been published. It will run for two hours and there will be something doing in two rings and on a platform all the while. The circus proper will, of course, close with the usual concert when Julius Taylor's Royal Minstrels will put on a great show. All Elks are required to be on the grounds before noon today in order that the parade may move promptly on time. The doors of the big circus tent will open at 7:45 P. M. and all patrons are requested to have the change. Boss Canvassman B. B. Jackson completed the big show tent yesterday and it has a seating capacity of something over ten thousand.

The spieler's contest last night was ludicrous and interesting in the extreme. Chairman J. H. Niggel, Jr., reports the award of first prize to Mr. J. R. Maxwell, of Whiteville, a member of 532 of this city, the prize being a handsome gold locket. The second prize went to Justice G. W. Bornemann, who was at his best. There were eight entries all told and while Mr. Percy Wells, of the Bijou, was the acknowledged leader in the exercise of this "gentle" art, he was barred out on account of being a professional, though awarded a special prize for excellency in his class.

The Civic and Floral Parade.

The committee in charge of the award of prizes in the civic and floral parade was not ready last midnight to announce the names of the winners officially, but it is learned that the Woodmen of the World captured that for the best decorated float of a fraternal organization, a gold clock, while the Red Men were given a special prize for the most original idea carried out by a fraternal organization. The first prize for the most handsomely decorated automobile was awarded to Mr. B. H. Stephens, whose machine was driven by Mr. Young. Mr. Jos. H. Hinton won second prize, it being exceedingly difficult for the committee to decide between the two. For the best industrial float or display the award was to the Delgado Cotton Mills, the prize being a silver trophy vase. A special prize was, however, awarded to the Independent Ice Company for the originality of its display. A copy of Shakespeare's Works was awarded to Union School for the best school float. Two little girls, whose names were not learned by the committee, but who were driving a trap in purple and white, were awarded the prize for the best decorated pony cart, the prize being a saddle, bridle and whip. The prize for the best tricycle rider was awarded to the largest machine in line, the name being unknown to the committee. The award of prizes to baby carriages and go-carts will be announced later.

The parade was more than a mile in length and it is safe to say that for magnificence of display and simple beauty, it has never been equalled in Wilmington. The weather was ideal and a larger crowd never lined a route along which a pageant of the kind passed. The formation was at the City Hall on Third street and long before the hour announced for the parade to start, the square was one mass of humanity, street cars moving with extreme difficulty.

Headed by Chairman T. B. Carroll, of the committee, a cordon of seven mounted police and the Mayor and Mr. D. R. Foster in an automobile, the parade began to move promptly up Third street at 3 o'clock. Gen. James I. Metts, chief marshal, and the following aides were mounted and had charge of the line: Messrs. O. A. Wiggins, H. B. Peschau, J. O. Reilly, Irving Bear, J. L. Solomon, J. H. McFarlane, L. B. Rogers, Clarence W. Mills and Dr. W. D. MacMillan. First came the Post Artillery Band, of Fort Caswell, in regulation uniform and discoursing sweet music. Next came Cape Fear Academy students in charge of their principal, Prof. Washington Catlett. The Russian Midget was advertised by an army of small boys, carrying banners; next was a section of decorated bicycles and unique pony carts, all extremely pretty, these being driven by children of Messrs. W. B. Beery, J. G. L. Gieschen, S. A. Schloss, the Misses King Master Willie Wee McEachern and others. Miss Alderman's Select School had a beautiful float in which there were half a hundred pupils in bright costumes. The Domestic Science of Union School was a huge market basket in colors with members of the class inside, affecting cooking caps and some of them representing packages of groceries. The Hemenway Public School float was a dream of beauty in tinsel and bright colors representing "A Mid-Summer Night's Dream" with little Miss Fannie Grainger as Fairy Queen. The Union School was represented by a highly creditable and most typical Indian scene with the young people in Red Men costumes. Immanuel Kindergarten was beautiful in a float of pretty white and blue and filled with little children as gay as larks. The Masonboro School was the only out-of-town float in the school parade and this was highly creditable in National and Elks Colors, there being some 30 or 40 pupils in the float. The Delgado Kindergarten was represented in an automobile drapped in purple, white and being driven by Mr. John E. Platt. Then came the section of decorated automobiles, this having been the prettiest ever seen here. The first represented the Red Cross Society and following were handsome designs by Mr. Frank Herbst, Mr. Will Miller, Mr. Jos. H. Hinton, Mr. B. H. Stephens, Dr. J. H. Dreher, Mr. F. J. Gooding, Dr. W. T. Smith, Mr. C. H. Bornemann, Dr. Fred D. Hale, Mr. Oscar Wright, Mr. J. A. Springer, and others. Ferarri's band and horsemen. Then came the commercial floats of which there were a great number. A huge block of ice weighing many tons and into which was frozen a huge bouquet of flowers was drawn by twenty horses. The Snowdrift Hogless Lard was well advertised in a large float driven by Mr. Waddell, one of the district salesman. Mr. Will Rehder, the florist, had a display of beautiful flowers and plants that was a veritable dream of beauty. The Clarendon Water Works Company was represented by an exceedingly creditable float in charge of Foreman Jas. D. Mote and First Assistant Walker. The Cocoa Cola Bottling Works had several wagons and decorated vehicles in line and was immediately followed by the Italian Band from St. Helena. These musicians from the Sunny Isle affected no bright costumes or handsomely polished instruments but the music they gave forth was not excelled anywhere along the line. The North Carolina Bird Company was represented by a huge cage with open sides through which many varieties of song and plumage birds were caressed by their keeper, an attractive young lady. The Tidewater Power Co., had one of the prettiest and most elaborate displays in this section, the creation of Mr. Hudson and other employes of the company. The display was surmounted by a large, life-size Elk and displayed ranges, grates, electric fans and other specialties in their line. The Bell-Cantwell Lumber Company had a characteristic woodland scene. Next came the Wilmington Sash Door & Blind Company, presenting some of the execution of its factory in this city. Hall's Dry Pond Pharmacy was represented by a Phunny Riding Clown on one of the long-eared, if not long-horned gentry. Buckskin Ben's Band discoursed good music and gave a Western tinge to this department of the great pageant. The Auto Company was represented by a delivery truck driven by Mechanician Piner. The department of fraternal orders was exceedingly creditable and came next. Leading these was a calvacade of nearly fifty Red Men from three tribes in this city with a mounted teepee drawn by six large oxen. This parade within itself was quite a block in length and was joined in not only by Red Men but pappooses and other primeval features. The Woodmen of the World had perhaps one of the prettiest and most elaborate floats ever constructed in the city. It was the handiwork of Mr. James H. Burriss, an enthusiastic member of the order, who held the reins over four gayly caparisioned horses attached to the float. At each corner and sides of the float stood half a dozen or more stalwart young woodmen with axes drawn. The float was beautifully decorated in emblematical fashion with the stump and the driven axe. The Fraternal Order of Eagles had a faithful representation of an aerie built way up among the craggy heights of a mountain scene. This was drawn by four horses and was decorated in the colors of the order.

The Astyptodyne Chemical Company

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ELECTION LOCALLY

New Hanover Polls Much Larger Vote in An Exceedingly Quiet Contest.

THE MAJORITY IS INCREASED

Taft Polls Something Over 500 Votes Though State and Congressional Tickets Fell Behind That. Returns From Precincts.

Semi-official returns from all wards, precincts and townships in the county, with the single exception of the lower division of Harnett, which could not be reached by telephone last night, indicate that in yesterday's general election New Hanover gave 1,296 majority for the National Democratic ticket; 1,804 for the State ticket while Mr. Godwin's majority over Mr. Slocomb for Congress from the Sixth District was 1,877. When the returns come in from the missing precinct these majorities will be slightly increased.

The county and legislative tickets had no opposition and the vote for them will approximate 2,300, which is a large gain over 1904. The total vote for Governor Glenn in 1904 was only 1,284 while this year with one precinct yet to hear from 2,073 were rolled up for Kitchin. The Republicans showed some gains in nearly every ward and precinct but these increases were largely on the National ticket. Only about 2,400 votes were cast in the county out of a total registration of nearly 4,000. It was expected that a much larger percentage of the vote would be cast but the general public interest in the Elksfest and civic parade detracted attention from the polls and many a good Democratic vote that would otherwise have been cast, went for naught.

The election was exceedingly quiet and the crowds about the polls were much smaller than usual. Under the great handicap which he worked Chairman Furlong, of the Democratic Executive Committee, covered himself with glory and while he did not get his 2,500 or 3,000 majority that his efforts merited, the improvement over 1904 is very gratifying. The vote was nearly doubled for the head of the State ticket and the Presidential vote for the Democratic nominee was nearly 2,000 against only 1,254 in 1904.

The election in New Hanover was very quiet and except for the closing of the bars and little knots of people gathered at the polling places, one would not have known that the "destiny of the Nation" was being settled at the polls. The returns as it was possible to get them late last night are as follows:

Electoral Ticket.

Wards:	Bryan	Taft
First	358	100
Second	296	71
Third	383	76
Fourth	236	92
Fifth	421	113
Cape Fear	45	20
Delgado	69	40
Masonboro	20	20
Federal Point	9	9
Total	1,837	541

Congressional Ticket.

Wards:	Godwin	Slocomb
First	388	53
Second	339	31
Third	443	33
Fourth	302	34
Fifth	472	51
Cape Fear	54	10
Delgado	87	21
Masonboro	20	9
Federal Point	16	2
Total	2,121	244

State Ticket.

Wards	Kitchin	Cox
First	394	50
Second	328	40
Third	432	40
Fourth	286	42
Fifth	457	61
Cape Fear	53	10
Delgado	87	19
Masonboro	20	5
Federal Point	16	2
Total	2,073	269

As there was no opposition to the county and legislative tickets, the registrars did not bother themselves with the figures as to those nominees, merely counting the ballots and sealing them up for official return to the canvassing board at the Court House Thursday at noon when the official result will be declared.

Inquiry for the News.

The result in New Hanover being a foregone conclusion there was little inquiry on the street during the day as to the local election. There were, however, frequent inquiries for the result in the State. The Star posted bulletins during the day and last night a great crowd gathered in front of the building to witness the bulletins as thrown by stereopticon on a screen across the street. These returns were furnished by the great Associated Press, the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph long distance service, special telegrams over both the Western Union and Postal wires, while the results locally were gathered by telephone and given with the rest. The stereopticon was through the courtesy

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NORTH CAROLINA TRUE TO DEMOCRATIC FAITH

Majority in The State Will Probably Exceed 40,000 With Eighth and Tenth Congressional Districts in Doubt—The Returns From Counties.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 3.—Democratic State Chairman A. H. Eller said at midnight that returns received from about half the counties indicate North Carolina polled a considerably larger vote than four years ago and that while the Democratic vote is doubtless as large as four years ago the Republicans have gotten out a considerable former "stay at home" vote that has reduced the Democratic majority considerably, the Democratic majority this year being estimated at 40,000. Kitchin's vote, he estimates, about equal to that of Glenn for Governor four years ago.

Chairman Eller said that while the general bulletins indicated doubt of the Democratic Congressmen being elected in the Eighth and Tenth districts, he has no doubt personally of Crawford, Democrat, having defeated Grant, Republican in the Tenth. He feels confident Crawford is safe. As to the Eighth, it looks, he says, like Cowles, Republican, has defeated Hackett, Democrat.

Chairman Eller said the biggest Republican gains were in Wake county, where Democratic majority four years ago of 2,600 this year falls to 1,500. Other noticeable Republican gains are Cabarrus, Davidson and Beaufort. Altogether Chairman Eller is much pleased with the results indicated in North Carolina. Briefly stated it seems from returns here that Kitchin's majority over Cox for Governor is about 40,000, with Bryan's majority at least 5,000 short of this and that Democratic Congressmen are elected in eight of the ten Districts, the eighth and tenth districts being really both conceded to the Republicans by party leaders 'geenrally here. In Wake County the Democratic majority really will be about 1,200 from the present indications with Bryan's majority about 800.

Columbus County.

Whiteville, N. C., Nov. 3.—Results of election in Columbus county today indicate at a late hour tonight an estimated majority of 400 to 450 for the National Democratic ticket; 550 to 650 for the Democratic State ticket; the same for the county and Congressional tickets.

Robeson County.

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 3.—The election passed off quietly in this county today. Returns indicate very little scratching, the Democratic majority being about 1,850. Lumberton township gives Bryan 321, Taft 85; Kitchin 356, Cox 47.

One Thousand in Wilson.

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 3.—Wilson county gives a Democratic majority of approximately 1,000.

In Cumberland.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 3.—Election returns from this county at 8:30 o'clock are as follows: National ticket, Democratic majority 600; State Democratic majority 400; county Democratic majority from 350 to 500.

Bladen's Six Hundred.

Elizabethtown, N. C., Nov. 3.—Kitchin's majority in Bladen is about 600 according to returns from eight townships out of 15 tonight. The Congressional and Legislative tickets have about the same majorities. The county ticket received from 450 to 650. Bryan's majority is about 500. The vote was light, about the same vote and majority as 1906.

Pender Between 600 and 700.

Burgaw, N. C., Nov. 3.—All but one precinct in Pender is in tonight and the result is between 600 and 700 majority for the entire ticket, State, National and county. Reports indicate that a heavy vote was polled in all precincts.

Atkinson, N. C., Nov. 3.—This township gives Bryan 77, Taft 16; Democratic State 98, Republican State 3; County Democratic 96 County Republican 5.

Result in Brunswick.

Southport, N. C., Nov. 3.—Returns from Brunswick are exceedingly slow in coming in. Northwest township gives a Democratic majority of 87 for the entire ticket with the exception of Bellamy for sheriff, who receives only 76 majority. There were 101 votes cast, 14 of the number being Republican. Town Creek gives Taylor 75 majority over Robbins for the House; Brooks 99 over Russ for treasurer; Stanland 66 over Bellamy for Sheriff; Jenerette 71 over Ward and McKeithan 73 over Hawes. The majorities in Smithville township are Emple for State Senate 74, Taylor (Rep.) for House 19, Bellamy, for Sheriff, 9 majority and Russ for treasurer 21.

Town Creek, N. C., Nov. 3.—It is estimated here tonight that the county has gone Republican by several hundred, the State ticket Republican by over a hundred. Taft will carry the county by about 200 votes. This precinct gives Bryan 102 and Taft 189, Cox a majority of 56. Slocomb receives 175 and Godwin 115.

Result in Harnett.

Dunn, N. C., Nov. 3.—Harnett county elects all Democratic officers by greatly increased majorities. Legislative, Congressional and State tickets 600 to 700 majority.

From Columbus, Too.

Chadbourn, N. C., Nov. 3.—Columbus county gives 650 Democratic majority for State and county ticket. Bryan's majority is 500.

Wake's Early Report.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 3.—At 9 o'clock 16 out of 36 precincts in Wake county give a Democratic majority of 1,168 and an estimated majority in the county of 1,400. Raleigh gives 800 Democratic majority. The city of Raleigh gives Bryan 570 majority; Democratic county ticket 995 majority.

Stokes Republican.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Nov. 3.—Stokes county gives an estimated majority of 600 Republican.

Forsyth Democratic.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Nov. 3.—It is estimated tonight that Forsyth gives a Democratic majority of 750. Returns are very slow in coming in.

Davidson Probably Republican.

Lexington, N. C., Nov. 3.—Returns are not all in from Davidson but the indications tonight are that the county is Republican by a small majority.

Sampson Still to the Bad.

Clinton, N. C., Nov. 3.—Returns from practically all voting precincts in Sampson county indicate that the county has gone Republican by an average majority of one thousand. This is a Republican gain of 400 over last election, an unusually heavy vote having been cast.

PICK-POCKET NABBED.

White Man Placed in Guard House In Default of Bond.

A white man giving his name as C. H. Carroll, was arrested yesterday afternoon shortly before 6 o'clock by Sergeant B. R. King and Officer J. T. Smith, at 17th and Princess streets, charged with making an effort to pick the pockets of Mr. J. D. Edwards, union ticket agent in this city, and was committed to the guard house in default of bond. He will be given a preliminary trial at the session of the Mayor's court today.

Shortly after the Elksfest parade yesterday afternoon, while Mr. Edwards, who participated in the parade, was returning to the city from 17th and Princess streets and as he was about to board a street car he caught Carroll's hand in his pocket and held it fast. Carroll made a desperate effort to get away, but in the meantime Mr. Edwards summoned Sergeant King, and Officer Smith, who hurriedly approached and caught the pick-pocket just as he broke away from Mr. Edwards.

Carroll stated to the police that he came here with the carnival.

AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD.

Regular Meeting Held Last Night—Unimportant Business Mainly.

The Board of Audit and Finance was in regular semi-monthly session last night, members present having been Chairman McQueen and Messrs. Yates, McNair and Wilder; also Capt. T. D. Meares, the clerk.

The award of the bid and approval of the contract for the new combination hose and chemical wagon for Fifth ward was concurred in.

The proposition to drain Macomber's ditch in the eastern part of the city was again up for consideration but the matter was in incomplete shape and action upon the same was deferred.

The action of the Aldermen in calling for new bids for the sale of the city bonds was concurred in.

The Board also approved of the action of the Aldermen in arranging for representation at the forthcoming municipal convention in Charlotte and the Board also authorized representation at the meeting on its own account.

Coupons amounting to $70 which had been paid were burned by the Board.

Will Marry This Afternoon.

A nuptial event of much interest to their many friends will be the marriage of Mr. Colin Shaw Lewis, of this city, to Miss Mable Gertrude Hewlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hewlett, which will be solemnized this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The marriage will be at the home of the bride's parents, No. 214 1-2 Castle street, and will be attended by relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties.

At the Popular Bijou.

The Bijou will offer this afternoon and evening something decidedly pleasing and appropriate to the Elksfest now in progress. It is one of Selig's greatest fire films, "One of the Bravest." It is something different and a film worth going miles to see. The story deals with the life of a fireman and in it is shown one of the bravest of the brave acts in the daily life of the great fire fighters in the big city. Small prices always prevail and the Elksfest visitors are cordially invited.

Old Probs was very considerate of the voters yesterday. The weather was exceptionally fine all over the country with very few exceptions.

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CRIME TREATED AS A DISEASE.

It is claimed that it has been demonstrated by successful operations that the surgeon's knife and saw are the cure for degeneracy. The case of a man who has been successfully treated in Philadelphia in this manner is being discussed in the press. This case is cited as convincing proof of the truth of the theory. The surgeon operated on a man who for a long time had been in the habit of drinking a quart of whiskey a day and was also an incorrigible thief. The operation consisted in removing a piece of bone that was causing pressure on a certain part of the brain. That was twenty-two months ago and in all this time the man has had no desire for drink—has become completely reformed in this matter and has given up his habit of stealing. This is said to be the most remarkable case of the kind on record because of the man's age and the number of years he had been a slave to these two degenerating habits.

If all this be true, then surely there are many men in this country now classed as confirmed drunkards and degenerates, many serving sentences in prisons, and some, no doubt, have been hanged who could have been saved and made into useful citizens had they been subjected to this treatment in youth as soon as overmastering inclination to drink or crime developed.

ATTORNEY GENERAL-ELECT BICKETT.

It is seldom that a man comes to the front so rapidly or so soon establishes an enviable reputation as has T. W. Bickett, the Democratic nominee for Attorney General. His reputation as an orator began only a few months ago, at the State convention in Charlotte. A speech he made there before that assemblage of Democrats from every county brought him at once into prominence and made him the choice for Attorney General of a good many delegates who probably did not know before of his existence. Since that time he has made a continuous canvass of the State and each speech has added to his reputation and popularity. He wound up his campaign with a speech on Monday night in the same city in which a short while before he had made the one which brought him so forcibly and favorably to the attention of the members of his party. Of his Monday night's speech the Charlotte Observer of yesterday said editorially:

"No speech made in Charlotte during the campaign aroused so much enthusiasm or furnished so many elements of entertainment as that of Mr. Bickett last night, and no other speaker held his audience together better. It was a captivating speech and of the sort that make votes. Mr. Bickett will certainly be welcome when he comes again."

The silent vote is not silent after the election; it generally yells for the man who has been elected and says nothing about how it voted.

A CHANCE FOR HASKELL.

Now Governor Haskell has a chance to show that he is a man of action as well as of full vocobulary. The night-riders have begun their devilment in the State of Oklahoma. He should show his grit by tackling them with a strong hand and letting the public know that no such crime shall go unpunished in his State as the one recently committed in Tennessee. Governor Patterson has set him a good example as to how such criminals should be handled. Let Governor Haskell show at the start that he is determined to vindicate the law and maintain the dignity and honor of his State at all hazard and he will establish an enviable reputation throughout the whole country.

We want to see the Governor of every Southern State act strenuously upon the first appearance of night-rider lawlessness in his State and see that the criminals are punished no matter of what standing in their communities.

After the votes are counted and the results officially announced it should be the last to be heard of the Hearst Independence party, if there be truth in the indictment brought against it in the letter of resignation as National committeemen sent to Hearst by J. L. Woods Merrill, of Kansas, in which he said in part:

"Also, I do not wish my name connected with a party whose affiliations are so closely connected with other parties and whose only aim is to help to defeat Bryan. Taft wanted Foraker put out of business and you played the part of 'Remover,' and, with a grandstand play to keep up appearances, went after Haskell with no proof of guilt, to down Bryan, and in my belief the Independence party receives campaign money from Republican sources. I was led to believe the Independence party's platform was to advocate the principles of Jefferson and Lincoln and to build up from the better class from all parties and stand for the best interests of the common people and not affiliate with nor favor any party."

Of course there were a number of arrests on charge of illegal attempt to vote made in New York yestrday. That was to be expected for it always occurs. We suppose there are a number of men in that as in every other large city who attempt and many who succeed in voting who have no right to do so; but this scheme is often resorted to as a bluff as means of intimidation of timid voters. Many a man, in cities where arrests for alleged illegal voting are so numerous, who though having a perfect right to vote, will stay away from the polls if warned that his vote will be challenged for illegal registration. He dos not want to be roughly handled, dragged to a police station and held until the next day.

Somebody should hang for the foul murder of Captain Rankin, of Tennessee, and it would not surprise us if such were to be the outcome of that infarious affair. No other Southern Governor has shown such determination as he to bring criminals of this class to punishment. Others have made a spasmodic show of suppressing such crimes, but they have grown tired mighty quick in all such cases.

As Mr. Hobson has not submitted any facts or even arguments to prove the truth of his assertion that in the reception given our fleet the Japanese were trying to pull the wool over the eyes of the Americans, we suppose he expects the latter to take his word for it.

The rushing of large sums of money into the doubtful States by the Republican managers in the last days of the campaign shows that George Ade was hitting near the mark when he said that "any time the Republicans became convinced that Mr. Bryan has a chance of being elected, he won't have a chance in the world."

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Carrie Nation is said to have made $250,000 with her little hatchet. She isn't the first person who has made a fortune by persistently following a fad, trading on the sentimental side of emotional followers.—Chattanooga Times.

—The second installment of John D. Rockefeller's reminiscenes has been published. From it we gather that there are manyyoung men hereabouts who have started on the right road to a successful financial career. For instance, John D. says that in his early days he was "a great borrower."—Raleigh Times.

—"The Hartford Courant" celebrated on Thursday the 144th anniversary of its foundation. The oldest Journal in continuous publication in America, with becoming modesty, made no splurge on its birthday, only briefly referring to the matter in an editorial paragraph. "We are used to birth day anniversaries," says "The Courant;" "they chase each other along so fast that we sometimes lose the count. This one, we are pleased to remark, finds us in our usual health and still enjoying the perpetual youth that comes of being produced anew each morning."—New York Tribune.

—Judge Taft spent some of the early weeks of his candidacy at a fashionable health resort in Virginia, and it is claimed that he made such a favorable impression upon the people there that he actually has hopes of securing a large vote in that State, and that not a few persons there are styling themselves Taft Democrats.—New Orleans Picayune.

—The Washington Herald observes that "Unless signs fail, a number of Tennessee lynchers are going to have an opportunity to think that Reelfoot Lake matter over in the penitentiary, not to mention some others that may play the star parts in a few legal hangings soon." Nothing would conduce so much to the cause of law and order in the South as the realization of this expectation. The hanging of a few lynchers and penitentiary terms for a few more would clear the atmosphere mightly.—Charlotte Observer.

—In one of his speeches Saturday, Colonel Bryan said: "They have been carrying on a masquerade ball, but the ball is over now. The masks have been removed and behold! Mr. Taft has been dancing with coy Mr. Rockefeller and did not know it. Mr. Sherman has been waltzing with winsome Mr. Carnegie, and Mr. Roosevelt has led the grand march with that undesirable citizen, Mr. Harriman." A bright idea, but it was not Col. Bryan's. We can shut our eyes and guess whose idea it was, first pop. you know, Mrs. Bryan was accompanying the colonel on his speech-making trip.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—The Dingley tariff enables the manufacturers of Waltham watches to charge the American public $70 for the same article which they ship to Europe and sell there for $35. The Dingley tariff enables a Reading (Pa.) manufacturers to charge Americans one dollar for the same lock which is shipped to Europe and sold for fifty cents. The Dingley tariff enables the Baldwin Locomotive Works to charge our railroads $5,000 for locomotives which that concern ships to Japan and sells there for $3,000, and the steel trust charges nearly twice as much in this county as in England for the same steel rails. We all help to pay for these enormous and unecessary profits whenever we get on a train, for the railroads, of course, base their rates on their expenses. It all comes out of the people at last.

—Positively the most diverting incident in the present campaign is the appearance of poor old John D. Rockefeller. He came to the front of the stage yesterday rather modestly, but the shower of tin cans and other missiles that descended upon the venerable plutocrat was a caution. Bryan threw a bomb of words all the way from Napoleon, O. Mr. Taft got busy at Buffalo. President Roosevelt swung the big stick at Washington and declared it was all a plot against the Republican ticket, and all the managers of both parties denied John in hot, impolite terms. Poor old Rockefeller! Nobody wants him at election time, but at other seasons he is very popular with those who like autographs at the bottom of checks. As a matter of fact, we think that Rockefeller's appearance will not affect the situation one way or the other, but he certainly gave the politicians a greater fright than the most awful face will give to the timidest boys at the Halloween festivities tonight.—Baltimore American Star, October 30th.

TWINKLINGS.

—We always thought it a mistake to keep them in their pajamas. A little fire engine is so much more useful when it has its hose on.—Punch.

—He—I won't elope with you unless you promise not to tell a living soul. She—But if I don't tell papa where we're going how can he know where to send any money to?—Young's Magazine.

"John, do I make biscuits like your mother used to make?" "No, and I am glad of it; my digestion isn't what it used to be."—Houston Post.

—He (boastingly)—It takes six generations to make a gentleman, you know. She (calmly)—Yes; and what a pity that it only takes one generation to unmake him!—Chicago News.

—Mr. Howard—Isn't it wonderful what froce Niagara has? Mr. Talkmuch—Marvelous! Do you know what force Niagara has? Mr. Talk-I couldn't speak.—Brooklyn Eagle.

—"See here," growled the patron in the cheap restaurant, "this coffee's cold." "Dat so?" retorted the polite and intelligent attendant. "Well, dis is a quick-lunch joint; so if de coffee were hot yer wouldn't drink it in a hurry."—Catholic Standard.

—"How often does the trolley run past your house?" asked a tourist of a farmer. "Waal, they run by so frequent and often that I can't keep no track of 'em, but I jedge the last one passed here two hours ago."—Harper's Bazar.

—"I understand old Slyman left his affairs in pretty bad shape. Are you having any trouble in straightening them out?" "We have found that they can't be straightened out. He was a confirmed crook."—Chicago Tribune.

—Lawyer (to wobegone, moth-eaten individual seated in his office)—And why do you wish for a divorce? They are very expensive, you know. Moth-eaten individual (taking a dirty piece of paper out of his pocket and handing it to the lawyer)—This is a bill for my wife's hat. If I get a divorce I won't have to pay it. The lawyer's fees will be about one-fifth the price of the hat. See!—Puck.

—Mrs. Ryetop—It just goes to show how youngsters of this generation neglect opportunities. Mr. Ryetop—What now, Mandy? Mrs. Ryetop—Why, when Zeke was home I used to try to make him take the mop and bucket and scrub up the halls. He wouldn't pay no heed, and now he writes that he is on a scrub team up at college, and I bet he does n't know a thing about scrubbing.—Chicago Daily News.

MR. ROCKEFELLER'S VOTE.

Absurdity of the Fuss That Has Been Made Over It.

(Journal of Commerce.)

There is something exquisitely amusing in the perturbation caused by John D. Rockefeller's announcement that he supported Mr. Taft because on "comparing him personally with Mr. Bryan" he finds "the balance of fitness and temperament entirely on his side," and because he believes that the election of Mr. Taft would "make for law and order and stability in business." This would seem to be a good reason for supporting a candidate in any other citizen of the United States, but the support of Mr. Rockefeller appears to be a dreadful bugaboo. The chairman of the Democratic National Committee seizes upon the startling announcement as proof positive that Rockefeller or the Standard Oil Company has made a thumping contribution to the Republican campaign fund, and the chairman of the Republican National Committee makes haste to deny this with much heat. He "will even go further" and say that his committee "has been scrupulous in refraining from taking contributions from any corporations," meaning, however, any that are "popularly known as trusts."

COLLISION OF STEAMBOATS.

Two Steamers Collide on the Potomac River—One Death.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Nov. 3.—Early today a collision occurred between the Norfolk and Washington steamer City of Washington, bound from Norfolk for this city, and the Washington and Alexandria ferry boat Lackawanna, bound from Washington to Alexandria, in the Potomac river three miles below Washington. One man, Samuel Belanken, 40 years of age, of Alexandria was either killed or drowned.

The collision is said to be due to a confusion of signals and inability, on account of low stage of the water, of the ferry boat's crew properly to handle her. The starboard side of the Lackawanna was torn away and the bow of the City of Washington was slightly damaged. The Lackawanna was beached.

Mrs. Emma F. Swann, 32 years of age, and her 3-year-old son, Richard, nd Mrs. Fanny B. Smith 31 years old, all of this city, were painfully but not seriously injured.

TWO ACCIDENTS.

At the Aeronautic Society's Tournament in Morris Park.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Nov. 3.—Two accidents of a serious nature marred the first annual tournament of the Aeronautic Society, held today at Morris Park in the presence of a crowd of several thousand spectators. Lawrence J. Lesh, of Montreal, the record-holder for towed flights in a glider, dropped a distance of 40 feet, sustaining a fracture of his right leg, and Fred Young, an 8-year-old boy was struck by a motor-cycle and badly lacerated. The only successful flight was that of Professor John Mack, of Bridgeport, Conn., who ascended 3,000 feet in an old-fashioned hot-air balloon.

The more modern airships were either unable to rise or else met with accidents when they did leave the ground.

The motor cycle portion of the programme, however, furnished many exciting finishes.

CORNSTALKS FOR PAPERMAKING

No Apparently Good Reason This Should Not Come About.

(Dallas Star.)

There is apparently no good reason why cornstalks should not make good paper. The pith is light and pulpy and covering tough and fibrous, and would certainly not require any more of costly fibre to hold it together than the wool of the spruce. The surfacing and bleaching process should not be difficult. In time a substitute for wood pulp will certainly be found and it would not be a bad idea for the publishers of the country to co-operate in some way to encourage and promote experiments to that good end.

THE BROWNSVILLE AFFAIR.

Time Fixed to Hear Case in Federal Supreme Court.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—The Supreme Court of the United States today fixed December 7th as the date for hearing argument in the case of the former negro soldier, Oscar Reid, who was dismissed from the service without honor on account of his alleged participation in the Brownsville affair. The suit was instituted by Reid in the United States Circuit Court for the Southern district of New York for pay during the time of his enlistment. The verdict of that court was against him.

DIED AT SEA.

Captain of Schooner Chas. G. Endicott, Washed Overboard.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., oNv. 3.—The four-masted schooner Charles G. Endicott, bound from Charleston, S. C., to Baltimore, arrived in Hampton Roads today, bearing the body of her deceased master Captain Marvin Bailey, of Manasquan, N. J. The captain was washed overboard from the Endicott while at sea, off Cape Hatteras October 31st. He was rescued, but died from exhaustion and shock upon being taken aboard his vessel again. The body will be sent to his home.

LYNCHBURG TO VOTE ON LIQUOR

Now Only "Wet" Town on Southern Line, Alexandria to Alabama.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 2.—In the corporation court today a writ was issued for a local option election to be held here Dec. 5, this being the result of a largely signed petition filed by the Anti-Saloon league. Should Lynchburg vote dry all the territory along the Southern Raiyway line from Alexandria to the Alabama line would be in prohibition territory.

—"Is that John, givin' the college yell inside?" "That ain't the college yell. The old man's flailin' him out with a hickory, an' he's givin' the home yell!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A total of $2,300 was contributed Thursday to the New York headquarters of the Democratic National committee.

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to attract attention is to sell goods cheaper than the other fellow, we want your business, and the way to get it is to trot out our prices and let you read them over. Next week will be a gala week and we will join in the fun by marking down our merchandise and get our dry goods on a run.

Arnold Serges, fast colors, 36 inches wide at 10c per yard; Linenetts in fancy stripes and herring-bone prints, not 15c, but 12 1-2c; Black Melrose, 38 inches wide, for 49c; Blue Fancy Suiting, worth $1.50, at 98c: Black Cicillian, worth 75c, 53 1-2 inches wide at 50c per yard; Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs cheap at 15c, our price 10c; 20c and 25c embroidered handkerchiefs at 15c; Men's old style, absolutely pure linen handkerchiefs, worth 50c, they are the kind the more you use them and wash them the better they get, on special sale at 25c each; Men's fancy Silkaline handkerchiefs, on sale, special at 10c.

Table Oil Cloth, white and colored, 25c value for 15c. Beautiful yard wide silks and satins just received, extra good, on sale special 98c. Shoes—we have 10,000 pair on sale and we have just received a big shipment of Selz shoes, the man with a broad foot that is hard to fit can now get what he wants at Gaylord's in Selz standard shoes, worth $3.50 and $4.00, to introduce this line we expect to sell this shoe for $3.00. The lady that wants Chicago latest style, and wants her shoe as soft as a carpet slipper with flexible bottom, can buy Selz flexible sole ladies' shoes from $2.00 to $3.50 a pair. The boy that wants comfort and style both, and a shoe that will fit his foot can buy Selz Patent leather, they are all solid and will give perfect wear, the price is from $2.00 to $2.75 a pair. We have just introduced this line in our Shoe Department and I mean to sell you a pair of Selz Shoes. They are the shoes that fit and give service. I have been buying them and wearing them myself for three years and I know whereof I speak, the regular price will be divided with you.

Men's Clothing and Boys' Clothing, Men's Overcoats and Raincoats and Boys Raincoats and Rubber Coats. Our stock of clothing is extremely large and the month of October has been very warm and we have not sold as many of them as we wish to sell, and I am selling Men's Suits that I sold from $6.00 to $9.00 at $5.00 a suit. I will also give reduction on the newest suits I have. We have an elegant assortment of all styles of Boys' Clothing which we would be glad to have an opportunity to show. We received today the largest shipment of furs, I will show all next week at special prices. Fur scarfs and capes from $1.00 to $25.00 each. The new style Fur Muff in a big variety of styles. We have said a great deal in this ad. and I ask that you do me the favor to allow me to prove what I have said.

THE BIG STORES ON FRONT ST.

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P. S.—The window display of The International Correspondence Schools in these stores will close Monday night, November 2nd. A special discount in the sale of courses is being given and those who wish them should take advantage of this opportunity. A representative of the schools will be present to give all desired information. GEO. O. GAYLORD.

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REGROUPING THE NATIONS.

A German Writer Predicts Five Big Groups for Near Future.

(New York Tribune.)

The attitude of Italy in the Balkan matter has excited some comment, as supposedly indicating her drift from the Tripe Aliance and toward some other connection. Such an inclination is not at all surprising. Italy naturally agrees with Great Britain, France and Russia on the subject of the Balkan complications, and, indeed, in most other matters, and it may be expected that considerations of interest will in time outweigh artificial compacts in the grouping of the nations. That likelihood was recognized in an article recently contributed to "The German Review," of Berlin, by Prince Lichnowsky, a member of the upper house of the Prussian Diet and a well informed and intelligent if not always judicious observer of affairs. That writer set forth that Great Britain was engaged in bringing under her virtual protectorate all the Latin countries of the Old World, as America had already done with those of the New World, color being given to this theory by the traditional British relations with Italy and Portugal, the dynastic alliance with Spain and the entente cordiale with France. He reckoned that thus a "British group" would be formed of the countries named, their colonies in Africa, and the "republics" of Australia and New Zealand. Against this he forecast the formation of a "German group" consisting of Germany, Holland, Austria-Hungary, part of the Orient and part of Africa. A third group would comprise Russia and all of Asia excepting China proper and the Indies, which latter, the Indies being wrested from Great Britain and France by Japan, would fall under Japanese influence and, with the islands of the Pacific, including presumably the Philippines, would make up the Japanese group. The fifth group would be formed of the whole Western Hemisphere under the hegemony of the United States.

SUBMARINE BOATS.

Bids For Construction of Eight Opened at Navy Department.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Nov. 2.—Bids were opened at the Navy Department today for the construction of eight submarine torpedo boats, for which Congress has appropriated $3,500,000. There were three bidders. The Electric Boat Company, of Quincy, Mass., bid for both boats of 435 tons displacement from $414,000 to $444,000, according to the class and number of boats built on the Atlantic coast. For constructing the same boats on the Pacific their prices range from $446,000 to $461,000. For a boat of 375 tons displacement their price ranges from $360,000 to $390,000 and for the same boats constructed on the Pacific coast from $388,000 to $403,000.

The Lake Torpedo Boat Company, of Bath, Me., bid on boats of 518 tons displacement from $435,000 to $460,000 the same boats built on the Pacific coast being from $482,500 to $500,000. On vessels of 410 tons displacement the price was from $382,500 to $410,000 built on the Atlantic and from $425,000 to $435,000 built on the Pacific coast.

The bid of the American Laurenti Company, of Philadelphia, was for ane or two boats of 532 tons displacement at $437,500.

HEARST'S FINAL STATEMENT.

Answered the Charges of Mr. Mack Monday Night.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Nov. 2.—William R. Hearst, National chairman of the Independence party, in a statement tonight replied to the charge made by Democratic Chairman Mack today that Mr. Hearst had organized a new party to obtain revenge upon Mr. Bryan for the latter's failure to aid Hearst in his Presidential aspirations of four years ago. Mr. Hearst denied Chairman Mack's charge claiming that he was not angry at Mr. Bryan because he (Hearst) was not nominated by the Democratic convention in 1904.

Mr. Hearst declared that his loss of confidence in Mr. Bryan prompted him to form a new party. "I have abandoned Democracy," his statement says, "because it is no longer the party of reform. I am not in favor of Mr. Taft. I am proud of the work of the Independence party in this campaign. It has done the only work that has been done that will really inure to the benefit of the people. It has laid the foundation for great reforms. It has made history. It has done much for one campaign and so when the seed for a rich harvest in future achievements."

THE COTTON CONFERENCE.

Arrangements for Southern Cotton Association Announced.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., November 2.—Complete arrangements for the cotton conference of the Southern Cotton Association to be held in Memphis Tenn., November 10, 11 and 12 were announc tonight by President Harvie Jordan.

Among the speakers will be Governor Patterson, of Tennessee and President J. A. Taylor, of the National Ginners Association, who will deliver an address on the subject "Night riding in the South."

Other prominent speakers will be Governor Noel, of Mississippi; Hon. E. D. Smith, Florence, S. C.; Walter Clarke, of Jackson, Miss., and W. P. G. Harding, president of the First National Bank of Birmingham.

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 4., 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Tuesday, Nov. 2.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 50 degrees; 8 P. M. 61 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 45 degrees; mean 58 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 10.1 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

Showers Wednesday and Thursday; fresh winds shifting to east.

Port Calendar—Nov. 4.

Sun rises ..... 6:25 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 5:02 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport 4:32 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:35 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

N. Jacobi Hardware Co.—Welcome.
M. L. Smith, Sec'y.—Pythians Attention.

Business Locals.

Attention—B. P. O. E.
The Windley Cross-tie Co.—Crossties Wanted.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. J. Frank Blake, of Chadbourn, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. H. Pyke, of Southport, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.

—Mr. H. B. Jennings, of Lumberton, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Miss Ida Manson, of Southport, is spending a few days in Wilmington visiting relatives and friends.

—Mrs. J. M. Smith and Miss Sallie L. Smith, of Elkton, were guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. J. A. Herndon, of Kinston, and W. S. Clough, of Chadbourn, were among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Hall, of Elizabethtown, arrived yesterday on the steamer City of Fayetteville, to spend a few days on a visit.

—The Charlotte Chronicle of Monday afternoon says: "Miss Margaret Bridgers, of Wilmington, who has been spending some time in Asheville and other North Carolina resort points, is the guest of Mrs. Baxter S. Moore, on South Tryon street."

ATKINSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Teachers' Recital, Hallowe'en Party and Other Exercises.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Atkinson, N. C., Nov. 3.—The High School here with Mr. T. S. Simmons as principal and Misses. Jackson and Spencer as assistants has been doing good work since its opening, Sept. 7th. A teachers' recital was given Friday evening to one of the largest crowds ever gathered here for an entertainment of this kind. The readings of Misses Spencer and Jackson showed marked accomplishment in this art. The solos by Miss Jackson with Miss Mamie Henry as accompanist were especially enjoyed by music lovers. Another interesting feature of the entertainment was the rendering of "Tennyson's Dream of Fair Women," several of the young ladies in school here taking part in this, thus showing the valuable training they are receiving. That the whole evening was one of rare pleasure and enjoyment was the expression of the very appreciative audience.

On Saturday evening a goodly number gathered at the Peterson House as the guests of Misses Jackson and Spencer to enjoy the festivities of Hallowe'en night. All came masked and robed as ghosts, the pass-word was "mystery" and all visitors obeyed commands of the hosteses of the occasion which when carried out added unusual pleasure to the occasion. Later in the evening masks were banished and the erstwhile ghosts repaired to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served. Then came an hour of games and musical entertainment. All who had the pleasure of enjoying this evening together came away voicing the praises of Misses Jackson and Spencer as charming entertainers.

MUNICIPAL CONVENTION.

Local Interest in Forthcoming Meeting in City of Charlotte.

Mayor Franklin and the people of Charlotte are making elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the municipal convention to be held in their city on Nov. 18th. Among the features will be a reception at the Manufacturers' Club on the evening of the 17th and a banquet at the Selwyn on the following evening. Then there will be trolley and automobile trips and other features of entertainment for the 300 or 400 visitors who are expected from every municipality of consequence in the State.

Among the distinguished men who are expected to address the convention are Mayor Geo. H. Hibbard, of Boston; Mayor John E. Reyburn, of Philadelphia; Mayor H. P. Rice, of Houston, Tex.; Mayor D. C. Richardson, of Richmond, Va.; Mayor Burton, of Newport News, Va.; Assistant Surgeon General J. W. Kerr, of Washington, who will speak on the subject of "Sanitation."

This year Mr. Hill has given his unequivocal indorsement to Mr. Bryan, when with greater show of reason than on any previous occasion he could plead inactivity, for he announces his retirement after the defeat of Judge Parker in 1904. But Senator Hill's voluntary emphatic effort in behalf of Mr. Bryan is one more striking proof of the completely united party leadership in the present Democratic campaign—Boston Globe.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The caps and odd overcoats for the police have arrived and the suits are expected during the week.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and Seventeenth streets: Services this evening at 8:15 o'clock. All are invited.

—The British steamer Brighton, Capt. Higginbotham, cleared port yesterday for Bremen with 10,855 bales of cotton valued at $485,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

—The Mayor yesterday issued special instructions not to allow the use of confetti bombs either on the Elksfest grounds or on the streets. They are considered dangerous and unlawful.

—A deed was filed yesterday conveying from John D. Bellamy and wife to C. B. Bellois, for consideration of $750, lot on east side of Ninth street, 66 feet from the north line of Queen street, 66x165 feet in size.

—William Jones, a negro flagman for the Atlantic Coast Line, suffered a broken ankle as the result of attempting to jump from a moving train on the yards in this city Monday afternoon. He was sent to the hospital where he is being given attention.

MARION BUTLER ARRESTED.

On Charge of Criminal Libel on Spencer B. Adams.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., Nov. 3.—Sampson county had a sensation today in the arrest of its Republican demi-god, ex-Senator Marion Butler. As he was on his way from his North Carolina home at Elliott to the voting precinct at Turkey, the arrest was made by Constable Hammond upon a State warrant sworn out before a magistrate in Greensboro by Republican State Chairman Spencer B. Adams, charging criminal libel. An appearance bond of $2,000 was required, which was promptly given by Senator Butler, with his brother, George E. Butler, as security.

This proceeding is but another feature of the Adams-Butler libel suit out of Butler's charge that Adams grafted extensively while a Judge of land claims in Indian Territory. After giving bond Butler proceeded to the polls and voted.

Public sentiment here, without regard to politics, criticises the plan of Adams to have Butler arrested on election day when another day would have done as well. The Republicans of Sampson are bitter in their criticism of Adams for this attempt to humiliate their political idol.

BRANDON ACCUSED OF BIGAMY.

Young Man From North Carolina is in Serious Trouble.

(Columbia State.)

George Brandon, a young white man, an employe of the Southern railway running as a brakeman between this city and Winston-Salem, N. C., is in the Richland county jail, charged with bigamy. The prosecuting witness is Eli Smith, a brother of a young lady whom Brandon says he married as Miss Mamie Smith on June 10, 1908. G. W. Smith, a well known motorman of the street railway company, is the head of the Smith family. He is alleged to have married a Miss Lily Gerald in Greensboro, N. C., in 1901, and later deserted her. He came to Columbia in April and was married in June.

The Smith family heard rumors of another wife after Brandon had married Miss Mamie Smith and investigations were made which resulted in Brandon's arrest. He waived preliminary hearing and was committed to jail in default of $500 bond. The woman from Greensboro claiming to be the first wife was present to appear against Brandon. She had one child with her and stated that they had one child dead.

A UNIQUE FLOAT.

That of Jacob C. Shafer Company Attracted Much Attention.

The float of the Jacob C. Shafer Co., Baltimore, Md., advertising "Globe Brand" Hams, Lard, Breakfast Bacon and Sausage, was quite an attractive float, being 17 feet long, seven feet six inches high and seven feet wide. On the front was seated Miss Catherine Turrentine, decorated with Elk colors, holding the reins, Elk colors, in the attitude of driving two pigs, which demonstrated hog products. Behind her was the Shafer trade mark. The globe was seven feet tall, belted with the Trade Mark, "Mild Cured." Immediately behind this globe was Master John W. Turrentine dispensing mirrors to the crowds. The float was decorated, representing drapery, interspersed with advertising matter, calling attention to their products. The horses carried banners with the wording: "Jacob C. Shafer Co., Baltimore, Md., Everything From the Hog." Walking by the sides were Mr. W. R. Bush, traveling representative, and Mr. John R. Turrentine, Jr., their local representative, who were kept busy throwing away 4,000 mirrors, advertising their lines. In fact it was a very creditable float.

SUSTAINED BROKEN LEG.

Capt. R. O. Grant Injured At Bolton—Brought Here Yesterday.

Capt. R. O. Grant was brought to Wilmington yesterday afternoon from Bolton, where he was the victim of a painful accident Monday, in which he sustained a broken leg. He was carried to the James Walker Memorial hospital for treatment. He was accompanied by Dr. Slade Smith, Mr. Frank King, and Mr. W. E. Clark, of Bolton.

Captain Grant has charge of work at the Waccamaw Lumber Company, which is being done under contract. He was superintending the placing of a number of pilings to hold lumber, when one of them gave away and the lumber crashed down on him, breaking his left leg just above the ankle. A similar accident to Capt. Grant occurred a little over a year ago, when his right leg was broken. His many friends will learn of the accident with regret and wish for him an early recovery.

MAGNIFICENT PARADE

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had a typical North Carolina pine scene and banners calling attention to the curative effects of the genuine pine oil. It was drawn by six horses and was well displayed.

The Pioneer Playgrounds Movement was represented by a pastoral scene on a wide float that well typified the pure and free air of the open.

The Jacob C. Shafer Company, manufacturers of the fine hams bearing the firm's name and represented in Wilmington by the John R. Turrentine Company, had one of the largest and most elaborate of the trade displays. In the centre was a huge Globe, the trade mark of the firm and just inside were four fine fat pigs harnessed with bright ribbons and driven by an altogether charming little miss, a daughter of Mr. John R. Turrentine, Jr.

The Delgada Mills float was an exact representation of a loom at work, the motive power being gasoline engine. There were also exhibits of the cloths and yarns manufactured by the mills and miniature bales of cotton on each side. The exhibit was decidedly attractive and interesting and was in charge of a skilled lady and gentleman from the rooms at the factory.

Platt & Haar had a unique and pleasing representation of "The Little Store," filled with bright and happy faces and most attractively decorated in Elks' colors. It was the only merchants' display and was drawn by four fine horses and was one of the most attractive in line.

The City Laundry was represented by three wagons and other vehicles. The Wilmington Steam Laundry was also represented by its wagons, a sulky and other vehicles.

One of the prettiest and most elaborate floats in the parade was that of the Girl's Friendly Society, of the Church of the Good Shepherd, driven by Mr. Will Huhn. It was a Japanese design and was beautifully covered with flowers and fancy Japanese decoration. Many thought this one of the prettiest of the many beautiful floats in line.

Capps, the tin and sheet metal worker, 119 Dock street, had a well gotten up "Rube" band with instruments all of in the creation of the shops. The K. of P. had an exceedingly pretty floral float drawn by six well groomed horses blanketed with Pythian colors and insignia. It was a little late in getting in line but attracted much attention after arriving. Cape Fear Council, United Commercial Travelers, was represented by fifty or more members with caps, banners and grips and made a decidedly handsome appearance.

The baby carriages and go-carts were placed in the rear in order to avoid possible danger from the large number of horses in line. This section was patroled especially by the Elks, though the nurses were in charge. These carriages and go-carts were exceedingly pretty and attractive and elicited no end of admiration.

Bringing up the rear was one of the most unique and mirth provoking features of the entire parade. It was the Elks' dog wagon and was designed to compel the attendance of those recalcitrant Elks who "didn't have time to turn out with the lodge." Chief of Police Edgar L. Hinton was in charge of the dog cart detachment and with him were Assistant Chief H. M. Crosswell, Sergeants D. N. Chadwick, Jr., Charles Southerland, E. F. O. Banck and Privates Oscar Morriss and H. G. Smallbones. As the dog cart moved along with the parade various Elks fringing the line of spectators were caught up bodily by the sturdy policemen and were chunked inside the grating of the wagon. Among those who fell a victim to the wiles of the dog catchers were Herr Joe Schad, Chief Clown C. L. Browne, Dr. A. G. Ahrens, Pee Wee G. B. Harrell, H. E. Longley, Mr. Bucknell and a score of others whose names we refrain from mentioning.

The line of the parade was down Third to Walnut street, thence down Walnut to Front, up Front to Nun to Fourth and thence to Market street where the children dropped out of line and the floats and other features of the parade proceeded to the grounds.

The list of floats and displays are given as they finished so far as could be learned. If any are omitted in the list, the apology is due by the reporter who attempted to size up all to the very best advantage as they passed along the final route of the pageant.

BELL WAS DISCHARGED.

Evidence Not Sufficient to Justify the Charge—Police Court.

At the session of the police court yesterday at noon, the most important case was that of Walter Bell, a white man, who was alleged to have cut M. L. Browning on a street car on Princess street Tuesday night. The prosecuting witness was unable to testify that Bell was the person who cut him and other witnesses did not see any weapon in his hand. The evidence was insufficient to justify the charge and the Mayor dismissed the case. The defendant was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq.

Pearl Gilliam, colored, on charges of vagrancy and disorderly conduct, and Laura Nichols, colored, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, were given 60 days each on the county farm.

How to Get Strong.

P. J. Daly, of 1247 W. Congress St., Chicago, tells of a way to become strong: He says: "My mother, who is old and was very feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, that I feel it's my duty to tell those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, insomnia has been overcome, and she is steadily growing stronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complains. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

Long and Short Kid Gloves, All Colors.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
The Firm That Pays Your Car Fare.

Agent for New Idea 10c Paper Patterns.

All Visitors to Our City

Are especially requested to call at our big department store while in town and make yourself feel at home. You will be made welcome. Remember, that to all purchasers of $2 and over we pay car fare to and from the store.

Remember, too, that we carry a large assortment of souven r goods, post cards, shell boxes, match safes, ink wells and many others; also a wonderful line of toys, fancy goods, dolls and doll carriages.

CRAWFORD SHOES—The shoe with a reputation; patent leather, gun metal and vici.....$3.50, $4.00 and $5.00.

THE FAMOUS KIRSCHBAUM CLOTHING and a full line of cheaper clothes, overcoats and rain coats.

BOYS' CLOTHING—A great variety of styles, patterns and colors, 4 to 19 years, prices.....98c to $6.50

MILLINERY—In this department we are the recognized leaders, and can give you satisfaction.

A complete line of ladies' cloaks, furs and muffs. Call and see us.

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ELECTION LOCALLY

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of Messrs. Howard & Wells, proprietors of the Bijou, through Mr. Harry Cooley, an expert operator, who displayed the slides in plain view and "without fear or favor." The news, however, was not such as to infuse enthusiasm in the immense crowd gathered and it was only semi-occasionally as one State or district showed up in the Democratic column that a cheer would greet the projection on the screen. It was known as early as 8 o'clock that the battle had been lost for the majority of Southern people and many of them betook themselves to their homes or to the carnival grounds or elsewhere to revive their drooping spirits. There were many, though, who remained to catch the last bulletin even after the midnight hour.

The result in the State and Nation is told in telegraphic dispatches to the paper elsewhere in today's issue.

AT DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS

How Cahirman Mack and Friends Received the News.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Nov. 3.—Election returns began to come in to Democratic headquarters shortly before 6 o'clock, Chairman Mack arriving from Buffalo about that time in company with State Chairman Conners. In a little room overlooking Broadway and through the windows of which a tremendous din came from shouting, horn blowing crowds that surged through the street below, the election bulletins were received by telegraph and telephon. In the room with Mr. Mack, in addition to Vice Chairman Hudspeth and a number of party leaders were Mrs. Mack and others.

The first bulletin that came in was from Buffalo, the home of the National Chairman and it showed that Taft was leading Bryan. This was quickly followed by bulletins from Syracuse, Rochester, Elmira, Watertown and Albany, in the order named, all of which gave Taft a lead over his opponent.

Shortly after a dispatch came from Cincinnati, claiming a plurality of 5,000 for Bryan in that city, and this was regarded with satisfaction. As district after district throughout the State and in Greater New York showed Taft steadily leading Bryan, it seemed apparent to the leaders that Democracy stood small chance of carrying the Empire State and news from the West was anxiously awaited.

Chairman Mack at 8:30 o'clock refused to comment on the situation, saying that he would not give out a statement until he had received the returns from Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and other Western States.

State Chairman Conners at 8 o'clock issued a statement claiming New York for Chanler by a plurality of 45,000, and saying that Bryan had lost the State.

"While it is too early to give exact figures," said the chairman, "Chanler is making gains in many counties, among them Jefferson and Erie. His plurality in Manhattan and the Bronx will be from 85,000 to 90,000, while in Brooklyn he will get 20,000. Down to the Bronx I concede Hughes a plurality of 70,000. Taft will carry the State."

At 11 o'clock tonight Chairman Mack announced that until he heard definitely from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other Western States, he would not comment on the result.

A Sure-enough Knocker.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

GREAT HAT SALE

Three Dollar Hats for.....$1.75.
Five Dollar Hats for.....$3.50.
Eight Dollar Hats for.....$5.00.
Ten Dollar Hats for.....$8.00.

Hats from 25c upward.

Come early and make your selection.

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR
The Leading Millinery House.

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NEW FURS

The ladies are cordially invited to our Annual Fur Opening, which takes place Monday, November 2nd.

This store sets the pace in the selling of Furs, not only for this town, but all through the country. Nowhere is there another such showing of the new and beautiful styles for Winter. Nowhere is there opportunity to buy such fine Furs for such small prices.

C. H. FORE & COMPANY.

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Fresh Arrivals Peter's Chocolate!

Fresh Cocoanut, Ground Daily, 15c per Qt.

E. WARREN & SON
Phone 376.

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ROOSEVELT'S RETURN.

To the White House—Receilvng the Election News.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The President and Mrs. Roosevelt reached the White House on their return from Oyster Bay shortly before 6:30 o'clock tonight. The trip both to and from Oyster Bay was a very pleasant one.

The first thing the President did when he reached home was to scan the latest election returns which by the time he arrived at the White House were coming in at a rapid rate. He was particularly pleased when he read the report of his home district in Oyster Bay which gave both Mr. Taft and Mr. Hughes a substantial majority.

At the White House executive officers were installed direct wires of the different telegraph companies of the Associated Press and over these the President had the news at the earliest possible moment.

A happy party, consisting of cabinet officers and their wives and a number of other guests were entertained at the White House during the evening and heard the news of the election. Later in the evening as the reports grew thick and fast the President went to his office in the executive building and there carefully read everything of importance on the election.

Visitors, See
The Place of All Joy.
Crystal Palace
On North Second Street.
Big Vaudeville Bill This Week
Always Small Prices.
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ELKS AND ALL

We have a fine lot of Norfolk Oysters, just received, they are dandies; also a fine lot of Dressed Chicken, Fruits and Vegetables, Choice Meats, etc.

Palace Market
PHONE NO. 72.
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Read the Business Locals

BRYAN HEARS THE NEWS

He Spends the Evening With Friends Reading the Dispatches—Shows no Concern—Friends Entertained at Dinner.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—The sun parlor of his home turned into a temporary telegraph and newspaper office, W. J. Bryan tonight watched the returns with manifest interest. He was, however, perhaps the most unconcerned among those who had assembled to learn the people's verdict. Mr. Bryan divided his time between the sun parlor and his library, where he got special reports from State chairmen and the National committeemen and frequently came up stairs and read aloud the reports he had received.

The returns from New York, particularly from the up-State precincts were of unusual interest to the candidate, who declared that the Democratic increase over the vote of 1904 was about what had been expected. He made many inquiries regarding the result in Greater New York and Ohio.

At intervals during the early hours of the day, Mr. Bryan would come into the sun parlor and chat freely with the correspondents and, by way of amusement, he brought out a number of telegrams of the "freak" kind which he had received; giving him advice as to what he should do in case of his election. While waiting for the detailed returns, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan entertained a large company at dinner in honor of the correspondents who had been identified with his campaign and who accompanied him on his various tours. The election for the time was forgotten. Previously to the dinner the guests assembled in the drawing room and Mr. Bryan treated them to a concert on the pianola, the instrument being manipulated by himself. After resting for an hour he rejoined the party in the sun parlor and began reading the returns. His daughters, Mrs. Ruth Leavitt and Miss Grace, and his son, William, were among the group in the sun parlor and spent most of the evening keeping in close touch with the situation while Mrs. Bryan was content to occasionally come into the room, although the candidate kept her thoroughly posted on the returns.

At 6:15 o'clock Democratic headquarters in Chicago inquired of Mr. Bryan, what personal information he had and he replied that it was to the effect that the Democrats were making gains where they were expected.

The press and other bulletins giving the later returns were sent to Mr. Bryan in his library where he had gone, after remaining upstairs for a short while. He read them carefully, but made no comment upon them.

At 11 P. M. Mr. Bryan sent down stairs the following statement:

"It is very gratifying to receive so complimentary a vote in my home precincts of Normal and in the city of Lincoln. We appreciate very much this expression of good will on the part of our neighbors in Republican strongholds."

STILL HOLDING ON.

Vice Chairman Lamb Refuses to Give Up the Fight.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Nov. 3.—At this hour John E. Lamb, vice chairman of the Democratic national committee in charge of Western headquarters, refusing to admit the defeat, issued the following statement:

"I do not care to estimate the probable final result, although we do not concede anything. It looks as though we had won Montana, Nebraska and Colorado. We have not enough from either, West Virginia or Maryland to give any indications."

DOUBLE TRACKING WORK.

Southern Puts Big Force to Work Near Lynchburg.

(Columbia State.)

An extra force of nearly 300 negroes and 21 camp cars were taken to Motley's, Va., on the Southern Railway, yesterday and the men were at once put to work on the new double track line of the company between Durmid and Sycamore, a distance of about 30 miles, according to the Greensboro Record.

This is taken as a further indication that the freight business of the Southern is increasing and that the company desires to have the use of its new track as early as possible. It is reported that the double track will be ready for use from the block station opposite the cotton mill at Lynchburg to Sycamore not later than January 1.

The trains are passing over one of the tracks of the new route between Clarion and Sycamore now, thus eliminating the grade crossing at Alta Vista with the Tidewater or Virginia Railway.

The company is daily delivering upwards of 20 carloads of rock ballast on this part of the road from its new quarry at Stacey, N. C., and it expects to soon receive ballast from Lane Brothers, who will shortly have their Alta Vista crusher under operation again.

TO REMOVE HEARST CASE.

Petition Filed to Have It Moved to Federal Court.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 3.—A petition signed by William R. Hearst before a notary public in New York and asking that the $600,000 libel suit filed by Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, against him in the State Court of Nebraska in Omaha, be transferred to the Federal court, was filed here today by J. W. Battin, Mr. Hearst's local attorney.

The basis of the petition is that as the parties to the suit reside in a State other than Nebraska the case cannot be tried in a State court. A legal question is involved in this as to whether such a case can be transferred to the Federal court.

Ed P. Smith, local attorney for Governor Haskell, said today: "I would rather try the case in a Federal court if it has jurisdiction, for the reason that the State laws of Nebraska do not allow any punitive damages and the Federal court does. Half the amount we are suing for, $300,000, represents punitive damages."

AT REPUBLICAN HEADQUARTERS

Rejoicing of Party Leaders as the News Comes In.

New York, Nov. 3.—Nowhere, perhaps in New York city, was there a more cheerful spot tonight than Republican national headquarters in the tower overlooking Madison Square. From the top of this tallest pinnacle in the city search lights flashed signals of Republican victory and in the committee rooms below, the men who had managed the campaign of Taft and Sherman were hourly receiving news that confirmed their confidence in the success of their labors.

Republican National Chairman Hitchcock was early at his office, and, surrounded by his co-workers and others prominent in Republican circles, eagerly read the returns, pausing only to reiterate for the satisfaction of an anxious inquirer that he stood on his original claim of 32 votes in the electoral college. There was less confidence in the early hours regarding the vote for Governor, but by 8 o'clock Mr. Hitchcock expressed the opinion that Governor Hughes would be elected. Congratulatory telegrams began to pour in soon after 7 o'clock, the first announced being that from Mr. Sherman.

Returns from all parts of Missouri show that Governor Folk has been defeated by Senator Stone in the balloting for United States Senator.

ELECTION NIGHT IN NEW YORK

Immense Crowds on the Streets—Revelry and Fun Making.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, November 3.—The closing of the polls this evening was the signal for a rush to Park Row where the newspapers had strung up large white canvasses on which were shown election results and very soon thousands had congregated in City Hall park and nearby streets. There were other crowds in front of the bulletin boards on Broadway, in Harlem and in Brooklyn. Two hours after the polls had closed newspapers issued extras announcing the election of Taft and throughout the thousands arose a now familiar r frain "Taft, Taft, Big Bill Taft."

From the opposing thousands came the cheer: "Wait and see; Taft has not won yet." Broadway was the scene of much revelry, a continuance parade of merry-makers up one side of the "Great White Way," and down the other.

Although the climax of saturnalia was not reached until theatres let out their crowds, the celebration began long before the closing of the polls. The matter of the election of the candidates of one or the other of the parties played absolutely no part in whistling were mere demonstrations The whir, whiz, jangle, and bang; the rush and turmoil; the clatter and rattle; the shouting, cat-calling and whistling wer more demonstrationn of the enthusiasm of spectators which did not, until some time later, when the result began to be definitely known, change to the demonstrativeness of enthusiasm with political significance attached to it.

With all the noise and confusion, the demeanor of the crowd was in every way proper and in harmony with the spirit of the day and hour.

THREE MEN SHOT.

In a Family Feud in Kentucky—One Killed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Lexington, Ky., November 3.—As a result of the feudal war at Campon Junction, about 20 miles west of Jackson, Islow Allen, aged 20 years, was shot and killed last night and Alvin Garver, aged 22, was badly injured. Clarence Sherman, who did the shooting was shot in the head, but managed to escape to the mountains.

Eight barrels of whiskey shipped into town for the election brought on the trouble, although family troubles of long standing played a prominent part.

That there is a small white Republican party in the South is made possible by the fact that white suppremacy has been won and established by the Democrats. If the Southern Democracy should break up so as to form a considerable white Republican body, then negro domination would be re-established, because the great negro element would hold the balance of power, and would sell itself only on a basis of the political and social equality that it covets and which alone will satisfy it. It is white supremacy that permits a few score of white men to hold the federal offices and call themselves Lily White Republicans. They can only exist as such while the South is solid, Democratic and maintains white supremacy. Let the "Taft Democrats" take this to heart. Negro equality is what they seem to want to establish.—New Orleans Picayune.

Why is Sugar Sweet?

If sugar did not dissolve in the mouth you could not taste the sweet. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic, but you do not taste the bitter because the ingredients do not dissolve in the mouth, but do dissolve readily in the acids of the stomach. Is just as good for Grown People as for Children. The First and Original Tasteless Chill Tonic. The Standard for 30 years. 50c.

Murphy Expresses Regret.

New York, Nov. 3.—Charles F. Murphy leader of Tammany hall, in a statement made late tonight said: "I confess very great disappointment on the result of the election, with regard to both Mr. Bryan and Mr. Chanler. Every indication before the election convinced me that Bryan would prove a much more popular candidate than he seems to have been when judged by the vote at the polls. Governor Hughes can find but little comfort and no indorsement of his policies in the result. There can be no question that with the same elements in the opposition in any other year than that of the presidential campaign and with political conditions normal, he would have been buried under an adverse vote of at least 100,000."

Judge Taft says that it is perfectly right for an employer to promise his workmen an increase of wages if the Republicans elect their ticket, or to threaten them with a loss of employment in the other event. This is only in line with Judge Taft's treatment of labor while he was a federal judge, leaving the moral perception of the Republican candidate out of the question. Judge Taft is a lawyer, and he well knows what constitutes bribery and coercion. Yet he condones these disgraceful methods of the men who will direct his every move, so far as labor is concerned, if he be elected.—Pittsburg Post.

JOKED HIMSELF IN.

How "Private" John Allen Got Himself Elected to Congress.

Here is Champ Clark's defense of humor, if it needs one:

"The dry-as-dusts solemnly asseverate that humor never did any good Now, let's see. How did 'Private' John Allen of Mississippi get to congress? Joked himself in. One bit of humor sent him to Washington, a national lawmaker. Opposing him for the congressional nomination was the Confederate General Tucker. They met on the stump. General Tucker closed one of his speeches as follows:

"'Seventeen years ago tonight, my fellow citizens, after a hard fought battle on yonder hill, I bivouacked under yonder clump of trees. Those of you who remember as I do the times that tried men's souls will not, I hope, forget their humble servant when the primaries shall be held.'

"That was a strong appeal in those days, but John raised the general at his own game. 'My fellow citizens,' he said, 'what General Tucker says to you about bivouacking under yonder clump of trees is true. It is also true, my fellow citizens, that I was a vedette picket and stood guard over him while he slept. Now, then, fellow citizens, all you who were generals and had privates to stand over you while you slept vote for General Tucker, and all of you who were privates and stood guard over the generals while they slept vote for Private John Allen.' The people caught on, took John at his word and sent him to congress, where he stayed until the world was filled with his renown."

Aid For the Explorer.

"Peary," said a geographer of Chicago, "never started on one of his exploring expeditions without receiving by mail and express all sorts of packages from cranks—cowhide underwear, tea tablets, medicated boots and what not.

"Peary once told me that George Ade a few days before the start of one trip wired him to expect an important package by express.

"The package came. It was labeled:

"'To be opened at the farthest point north.'

"Peary opened it at once, however. It was a small keg, inscribed:

"'Axle greese for the pole.'"

BOLD ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP MIDGET

Stranger at Elksfest Grounds Shoves Wee Man in Pocket and Flees.

What is said by Frank R. Blitz to have been a deliberate attempt to kidnap Prince Nicholi, the little Russian Prince, who is being exhibited in this city, occurred last evening about closing time at the show. Mrs. Blitz was startled to hear cries from the midget, whom she had left standing on the platform, to get a little fresh air after an arduous afternoon's work in the show. When she rushed to the front she spied a stranger dashing toward the general outlet gate. He had not got far, and as she could see nothing of the prince she supposed that he was confined under the man's overcoat.

Afterward, it is said, this theory was found to be correct, for the prince himself says he was nearly smothered in an inside pouch or pocket. His weak little voice could scarcely be heard outside and probably for this reason those who saw the man hastening away thought nothing of what was going on. Mrs. Blitz called her husband, and together they hurried to the pass gate, and by this means headed off the man.

When they reached him he was climbing into an automobile. Mrs. Blitz caught him and held him fast, while Mr. Blitz, diving down into the bulging pouch-like pocket, extricated the midget. Then the stranger, breaking loose, the driver turned on all speed and off they went.

Up to a late hour last night Mr. Blitz heard nothing further of the men. A similar attempt was made to steal the midget while he was being exhibited in the Southwest some time ago, but at that time the scheme did not come so near being successful. Mr. Blitz stated last night that he thinks a party of showmen are watching him up for the purpose of kidnaping the two-foot man for their own profit.

Prince Nicholi, when seen last night said: "My, oh, my, but that was a clase shave! I was awful scared when I was plunked down in that man's pocket. It seemed like being put in a bag. They got me in head first and I nearly smothered before I was able to wiggle around and get off my head. Even then it was blamed uncomfortable, for the fellow kept running and I was bumping against his legs. I hollered all I could, but I suppose no one heard me, and if they did they thought it was something like a rat squeaking. But Daddy Blitz was Johnny at the rat hole all right, and here I am. Say, have you got a cigar about you?"

Then the little fellow went to smoking.

A Paying Investment.

Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Houlton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

CROSS TIES WANTED—If you want to sell all of your old sap ties left on hand from the panic of last Fall, come to see or write The Windley Cross-tie Company, of Wilmington, N. C. Fifty thousand or more of this quality of ties wanted at once and this may probably be your chance to dispose of our old stock. Lock box 695, office 114, Princess street. nov 4-3t

ATTENTION B. P. O. E.—All Elks taking part in Society Circus will meet at the grounds not later than 12 o'clock (noon) sure. B. J. Leitner, E. R. nov 4-1t

FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY — Will sell 30,000 bulbs at reduced prices. Hyacinths, tulips, narcissus, iris, crocus, and scilla imported direct from Holland. 65 assorted Bulbs $1. W. B. Parker, 203 Princess street. oc 29 6t*

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

FIRE PROOF BRICK—Three cars just arrived—"Stevens," "Killian" and "Laudrum" besides large stock of other building material. Office phone 154, warehouse 1037. Roger Moore Sons & Co. nov 1 3t

UPHOLSTERING, repair and revarnishing, Carolina Upholstering Company, 135 Market street. 'Phone 1465. nov 1 1w*

PHOTOGRAPHS—We have received the new and beautiful Fall styles, excellent for Christmas presents. U. C. Ellis Studio. nov 1-tf.

WHEN YOU COME TO WILMINGTON come to the Bonitz New Apartment House for your rooms, by the week, day or for lodging. Corner Market and Second streets, Wilmington, N. C. nov 1 1w

FOR RENT—That large store No. 129 Market street, under the Bonitz New Apartment house. Apply to J. H. W. Bonitz. nov 1 1w

LOST—At the opera house or between there and The Orton, lady's Elgin gold watch, engraved "S." Leave at Star office for reward. oct 31-1w*

WILL HAVE on hand this week, fine tomatoes, lettuce, celery, horseradish and home-raised radish. Full line of fruit and vegetables. Tokay and Malaga grapes. Farm and garden seed. Flower bulbs for house and garden and flower pots to grow them in. W. J. Kirkham & Co., 104 South Front street. se 23-1m

NOTICE—Reduction of price, milk for cash. Beginning Monday, Sept. 7th we will sell milk tickets for cash at the rate of 10 cents per quart. Milk monthly or tickets to be charged 12 1-2 cents per quart. Shadeland Dairy Co., depot corner of Eighth and Princess streets. 'Phone 468. sep 6 tf

SOUTHERN SIGN SHOPS—Larger quarters. Owing to our increasing business we are forced to move to larger rooms, just across the street (Princess) entrance through Smith Building. We have also employed extra help. 'Phone is 776. Only exclusively sign painting shop in town and the best equipped studio South of New York. oct 11 tf

LUMBER AT RETAIL—Grades and prices right. See us before buying. Angola Lumber Co. aug 30 tf

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, NOTARY PUBLIC—Expert work of any kind, anywhere, any time. Court reporting, depositions, medical papers, Notarial work. Meares Harriss 114 Princess street. Phone 708; residence phone 546. sep 2-eod

FOR RENT—Store and warehouse 108 North Water street, at present occupied by J. S. Funchess & Co. Possession given October 1st. Apply to Morris Bear & Bros. au 5-su-we-fri-tf.

MOTHERS, WHY is it you will let your babies suffer with colds when you can get a box of Mother's Joy and cure them in one night. oct 11 tf

MOTHER'S JOY for children and Goose Greese Liniment for old folks. oct 11 tf

MOTHER'S JOY is the best thing made for pneumonia. oct 11 tf

THE SOUTHERN FREIGHT CLAIM AGENCY is a medium through which business firms or any individual can present claims, for shortage, damage or overcharge to shipments of freight or express and for a very small commission, secure the quickest possible settlements from transportation companies. Membership rates to those having claims continuously. Besides securing quick settlements the overcharge feature is equal to an income to our patrons. Transportation companies will adjust these differences with dispatch if presented to them properly and in a systematic manner, which can be accomplished through our office. The agency enjoys patronage of the Retail Furniture Dealers' Association of North Carolina, a majority of other leading business firms of the city and of individuals all over the South. Your patronage respectfully solicited. Southern Freight Claim Agency, 'phone 1471, P. O. Box 586. Wilmington, N. C. no 1-3t-su-we-su

THE GILBERT HOUSE—Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets; junction of all cars. Cars to depot. Steam heat, electric light and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Rates to regular and table boarders. oct 25 tf

SATURDAY NOV. 7TH IS THE day the Rural Building and Loan Association will open the 9th series. This association is managed by the following well known business men of this city. Messrs. Oscar Pearsall, C. C. Chadbourn, B. O. Stone, Marcus Jacobi, A. G. Warren, Oscar Wright, J. Holmes Davis, M. Shrier, J. A. McGeachy, L. M. LeGwin, D. H. Penton, Alex McEachern, R. W. Price, Roger Moore, and M. Bellamy, Jr. Any information will be cheerfully given by any of the above named gentlemen, or by Secretary and Treasurer James Owen Reilly. Office 110 Princess street. You can subscribe for shares now. oct22 tf.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND machinery, boilers, engines, pulleys, shafting, etc., bought sold and exchanged. Write us. Machinery Exchange, Fayeteville, N. C. oct 7-1m

BOARDING—Permanent and Transient. Best location in city. Meals to suit the business men. Strictly up to date. Harnett House, 110 Princess St. Hot and cold baths. Phone No. 713. sep 22-tf

FOR RENT—From November 1st, one large room with every convenience and splendid table board to one or two gentlemen. For particulars phone No. 1613. oct 31 3t*

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PRETTY THINGS from Paris

Special Design for

We do not stop short of Parisian ideas. We get for our customers the best quality and the latest styles. When you get a package with our name on it there is something good inside. A fair price for good merchandise is our way of doing business. Our stock now contains myriads of imported novelties—we shall be pleased to have you come and inspect our latest arrivals. We especially instruct our sales-people to civilly show goods and not to insist that those who look at them shall buy.

There are Swell Garments in our Cloak room yet. Coat Suits are selling rapidly. We hit the mark as to styles and customers are appreciating it, and buying our suits; new and attractive ones are arriving daily this week—all the new shades are shown. Don't delay too long; your size may be gone.

Exclusive Millinery will be found in our up-to-date Millinery Department.

LADIES' AND CHILDRENS FURS.

We have got to confess that if we knew how the weather would have been in October our fur purchases would have been half and less. However, it is an ill wind that does'nt blow some good. So we have made the price so that furs will fly from now until all are sold.

The Phœnix Muffler

For Men, Women and Children—Fashion's latest inovation.

All sizes, all colors, each..... 50c

We welcome Elks and visitors to our store during "Elksfest Week," where they will find low and attractive prices in every department.

The C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Greensboro Record: It is said that Hon. E. Spencer Blackburn is making Democratic speeches in Oklahoma, to which State he migrated last Summer.

—Smithfield Herald: Mr. W. M. Durham, of Elevation township, was in to see us Tuesday and reported a very fine yield of syrup. He planted one quarter of an acre in cane of the Early Orange variety and from this small piece of ground he made 81 gallons of fine syrup. Quite a number of our farmers are making syrup for their own use and more of them could do so very easily.

—Salisbury Tribune: Much speculation is going on concerning the trial of Will Graham, the negro rapist, here this week. The trial has been set for Thursday and there is considerable interest throughout the county. While it is not probable that mob violence will be resorted to or attempted, there is an undercurrent of unrest on the part of the people, many thinking that the fellow will not get justice.

—Tarboro Southerner: Dr. J. C. Braswell, candidate for the Legislature from Nash county, and R. U. Brooks, a well known merchant, and Bernard Brooks, a young attorney of Nashville, engaged in a fistic encounter in the latter place, Saturday morning. In the melee, R. U. Brooks was stabbed and Dr. Braswell was held for court, although it is not alleged that he did the stabbing. It was a most regrettable affair, and the outcome of political differences.

Winston Sentinel, Nov. 2.—It is reported that Republicans, realizing that there is no hope for their entire ticket in Forsyth, are centering their fight on one or two Democratic and trying to elect their Republican opponents by offers of trades. Of course, this effort will not be successful. The Democrats are not going to trade but we believe they are going to the polls and are going to win the fight by electing every man on the ticket.

—New Bern Sun: Mr. Bernard Swert, proprietor of the Central Meat Market purchased yesterday from Mr. Oliver Perry, who lives on Neuse road, one of the largest beefs that has ever been sold on our market. The large beef on foot tipped the scales at 1,805 pounds, and when dressed weighed 908 pounds. The most remarkable feature about this beef was the age, only being four years old. Mr. Perry has a reputation of raising fine cattle.

—Kinston Free Press: The rummage, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Methodist church has been quite a financial success, over $300 having been received from the sales, Saturday night. Articles of every description—especially in wearing apparel—have been disposed of at ridiculously small cost and many of the poor and needy have availed themselves of the opportunity of providing themselves with clothing for the Winter.

—Wilson Times: Wilson so far has sold twelve million pounds of tobacco this season and we look for our market to sell at least six million more. Wilson sold one year twenty million pounds of tobacco and we confidently hope and believe that we will reach this mark next year. Wilson will become in time the bright tobacco market of eastern North Carolina, as Winston-Salem is the dark tobacco market of western Carolina. Already the farmers for forty miles of Wilson are hauling their tobacco to Wilson, while a great deal is being shipped here from different parts of the State and remote portions of South Carolina.

—Winston Journal: Within two years another magnificent building, equally as fine as the Masonic temple, will be erected in this city if the Winston-Salem Odd Fellows' plans do not miscarry. The plans for the building have not been drawn yet, and will not be until the Odd Fellows' see their way clear to construct it. When the site for this structure was bought two years ago, it was with the idea of building. The Odd Fellows have a suitable lot on the corner of Fifth and Trade streets on which they have been paying, and when all indebtedness is removed, actual work will begin on an office building, with lodge rooms on the top floor and with store rooms on the ground floor. The building will be complete in every detail and will be an ornament to the city.

—Tarboro Southerner: That wild animals with the carnivals sometimes become ferocious as in their native lair, resulted in a terrible accident at the Smith's Greater Shows, Thursday night about twelve o'clock, when Al. Koons, the keeper was attacked and before aid reached him, his left arm from the elbow to the hand was horribly mangled and clawed by "Beauty" the famous jaguar. During the severe rain Mr. Koons went to each cage and petted animals to ascertain whether they were suffering from the exposure. When he reached the cage of th leopards, where "Beauty" also holds forth, he noticed the jaguar seemed to be suffering. Without hesitating the keeper placed his left hand on the leopard, when without warning "Beauty" sprang at him, sinking her teeth into the flesh of his forearm, and clawing at the hand. Mr. Koons shouted for help and with quick presence of mind dropped the lantern he held in his right hand, and thrust the other arm into the cage. At this "Beauty" prepared for another attack on the right arm, thereby releasing the injured member.

Comfort to Children.

The methods of our Savings Banks give comfort to children. They encourage the young folks to save money. They give them certain ideas about business; they also stimulate in them the habit of thrift and economy. The People's Savings Bank is always glad to assist the children in their efforts to save money. They accept small sums on deposit. 3t

More Bona-fide Testimonials

of substantial citizens than any medicines before the public.

Andes' Great Medicines

cure Rheumatism, Stomach, Liver, and Kidney Diseases.

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for relief of any pain.

Mrs. Jennie Keck, Knoxville, Tenn.

A well known Knoxville woman tells of her experience with Andes' Great Medicines.

THE PAYNE MEDICINE CO., Lexington, Ky.

Gentlemen: I have been a chronic sufferer from Rheumatism for ten years past. In this time we used all the so-called cures for my disease. I was disgusted with medicine, as I had used so much. My husband purchased Andes' Great Prescription and persuaded me to try it, I did so with but little faith, but how proud I feet after using it such a short time to know the swelling of my hands and feet had disappeared. Those sharp shooting pains and that terrible hurting in small of my back are entirely gone as if by magic. My stomach had given me a great deal of trouble also, such as bloating and fullness after meals, heart fluttering, sometimes had appetite, again did not care for anything. After I had used Andes' Great Prescription only ten days, my stomach has not given me any trouble and I cannot say too much for these great medicines. MRS. JENNIE KECK, 215 Hume St.

ANDES' MEDICINES SOLD BY

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Announcement

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Second and Princess
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Now open for business and prepared to serve the public.

'Phone 534. Quick Delivery.

oct 25-1w.

School Days Have Begun

We have in stock as complete line of Children's Shoes as was ever displayed in the city. A call on us will convince you.

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New River Oysters

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RECEIVER'S SALE OF THE YACHT "BUFFALO."

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, to me directed as Receiver, the undersigned will sell at the Ship Yard in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Water Street, between Nunn and Church streets, at twelve o'clock M., on Wednesday, November 4th, 1908, the gasoline yacht "Buffalo," twenty-four horse-power Buffalo engine, together with all her tackle, apparel and furniture. Terms cash. Sale subject to the confirmation of the Court.

This 24th of October, 1908.

LOUIS H. SKINNER,
oct 25-10t. Receiver.

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New line of Neckwear, imported Silks, Four-in-Hands and Bat wings.

Your Suit never fits unless

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oct 4-tf.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON, WITH A CAPITAL OF TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS AND SURPLUS OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND, HAS ACQUIRED ASSETS OF MORE THAN TWO MILLION DOLLARS IN THREE YEARS—Which is the record for the South.

oct 17 tf

Perhaps to own an extra suit will make you lucky.

When you are convinced that little else is of equal importance, then you will be able to AFFORD that new suit and overcoat. The most profitable thinking these days is about CLOTHES that you should have and with which your IDENTITY will be associated in thousands of minds. THINK CLOTHES and then come in and let R. F. Hamme show you one of the best selected lines in town.

HAMME

The Hatter and Clothier.

24 N. Front St.

oct 31-tf.

Star Business Locals Pay.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect Sept. 7, 1908.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Wilson	1:00 pm	10:53 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount...	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon.....	4:55 pm	2:36 pm
Ar Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar. Petersburg....	7:00 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington....	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore.....	1:41 am	10:00 am
Ar. Philadelphia...	4:21 am	12:18 pm
Ar. New York.....	7:23 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia ...	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4.20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon.....	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount ..	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson.....	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro.....	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND TARBORO SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:30 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:20 pm	4:30 am
Ar Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	12:15 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa.....	8:55 pm	7:00 am
Lv. Jacksonville...	8:55 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah.....	1:05 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston.....	5:30 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia.....	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	2:55 am
Ar. Wilmington....	12:25 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington..	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville.	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford.....	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington..	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern ...	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
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W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Schedule effective September 13th, 1908. Subject to change without notice.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule Trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

No 44 at 12:35 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:20 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS.

	No. 45	No. 39.
Lv. Wilm't'n...	4:45 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n...	7.21 A. M.	5:43 P. M
Ar. Maxton....	8:02 A. M.	6:35 P. M
Ar. Hamlet....	8:45 A. M.	7:30 P. M.
Lv. Mamlet....	9:10 A. M.	8:25 P. M
Ar. Monroe....	10:50 A. M.	10:25 P. M
Ar. Ch'lotte....	11:35 A. M.	11:30 P. M

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points North.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect, Saturday, October 10, 1908.

TO

THE BEACH

FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30:, 7:00, 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00 8:30 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE FROM WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM WRIGHTSVILLE

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 6:20, 7:25, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 7:25, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 I. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:55, 7:55, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON FROM THE BEACH

WEEK DAYS—Leave at 7:15, 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave at 9:45, 10:45 A. M. 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:45, 9:15 P. M.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

TAR OFFICE, Nov. 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market, firm $1.90.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $1.60 per barrel for hard, $2.10 for dip and $2.40 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin steady $3.50; tar, nothing doing $2.30; crude turpentine $2.75, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	23
Rosin	73
Tar	126
Crude Turpentine	15

Receipts—Same day last year, 24 casks spirits turpentine; 80 barrels rosin; 99 barrels tar; 29 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet 8 7-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Steady 10 7-16c.

Receipts—5,129 bales, same day last year 1,937 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina No. 1 hand picks 75c; No. 1 machine picks 70c; extra prime 65c; Virginia—No. 1 65c; extra prime 60c· Spanish 65c.

CORN—Firm, 97 1-2c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, old 16c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm at 25c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 20@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35c to 40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr.flint, 10; green, dull 6c. per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—New 80 and 90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 18c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Nov. 3.—Spot cotton quiet; prices one point lower. American middling fair 5.55; good middling 5.29; middling 5.07; low middling 4.85; good ordinary 4.36; ordinary 3.96. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,500 American. Receipts 20,000 bales, including 16,900 American.

Futures opened steady and closed feverish. November 4.81 1-2; November and December 4.72 1-2; December and January 4.70; January and February 4.69; February and March 4.69; March and April 4.68; April and May 4.68; May and June 4.68; June and July 4.68; July and August 4.66 1-2; August and September 4.59 1-2; September and October 4.54 1-2; October and November 4.49 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Nov. 3.—Turpentine firm 37 1-2; sales 656; receipts 930; shipments 150. Rosin firm; sales 3,299; receipts 4,254; shipments 206; stock 145,053. Quote: B D E, 2.75; F, 2.77 1-2; G, 2.80 to 2.85; H, 3.35; I, 3.95; K, 4.80; M, 5.25; N, 5.85; WG, 6.30; WW, 6.35.

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ARRIVED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

CLEARED.

Str. Carib, Devereaux, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

Br. Str. Brighton, Higginbotham, Bremen, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

EXPORTS—FOREIGN.

Bremen—Br. str. Brighton, 10,855 bales cotton valued at $485,000; vessel and cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 3, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—198 bales cotton; 16 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—677 bales cotton; 1 barrel tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3,753 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—440 bales cotton; 20 barrels tar.

Str. Alice— 33 barrels tar.

Str. City of Fayetteville—35 bales cotton; 13 casks spirits turpentine; 33 barrels rosin; 28 barrels tar; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Allen—8 casks spirits turpentine; 28 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar.

Schr. Chauncey T.—26 bales cotton.

Total—5,129 bales cotton; 23 casks spirits turpentine; 73 barrels rosin; 126 barrels tar; 15 barrels crude turpentine.

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Cromarty, (Br.) 1,756 tons, Kraugh, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barquentine.

Mats (Rus.), 283 tons, Uttopart, Heide & Co. (In distress.)

Schooners.

Horace P. Shares, 392 tons, Flynn C. D. Mafitt.

Chas. K. Schull, 821 tons Peckworth, C. D. Mafitt.

Richard Linthicum, 191 tons, Brannock, Georgetown to Baltimore, C. D. Mafitt.

The Other Great Man.

Dr. Russell Cool of California happened to suppress an epidemic of measles while on a vacation trip to Tahiti, and Chief Oreaori gratefully invited him to a banquet in his primitive palace. The south sea potentate and his white guest sat amiably on the floor and dined off roast pig and other native delicacies served on broad leaves and eaten with the fingers. After dinner host and guest adjourned to seats outside the palace, lit long, fat, black cigars and gazed out over the moonlit Pacific. In the eyes of Chief Oreaori, Robert Louis Stevenson, who did so much to improve the condition of the south sea islanders, was the greatest white man that ever lived. The chief related to Dr. Cool many incidents to illustrate Stevenson's kindliness, then asked a score of questions about the health of Stevenson's widow and of his stepchildren. When the last question had been answered there followed a long period of silence. The two friends puffed slowly at their cigars and luxuriously regarded the radiant tropic moonlight glowing upon rustling palm fronds and the silvery ocean. Then Oreaori turned to the doctor and demanded, "Now tell me about John L. Sullivan!"—Harper's Weekly.

Freezing Flesh.

It is a curious fact that, although dwellers in northern climes must have known for ages that a low temperature preserves flesh from putrefaction, it never seems to have struck any one that this natural fact could be turned to artificial advantage until Lord Bacon stuffed the historic chicken with snow and thereby caught a chill which killed him. It is perhaps even more curious that an experiment resulting in the death of one of the most eminent men in the world should not have called any attention to an already well known principle which might have been readily turned to great advantage. As a matter of fact, it was not until the year 1875, 249 years after Lord Bacon's fatal experiment, that freezing was practically employed as a method of preserving flesh. This was the commencement of the frozen meat trade between America and England. Four years later a dry air refrigerator was perfected.

Thought He Had Died.

A prominent member of a German-American society told a story about a German friend of his who was taken ill. For many days the German was close to death, but after a time he showed improvement in condition. The doctor told the German's wife that her husband might have anything to eat that he liked.

The German expressed a desire for limburger cheese, and the wife, being a generous woman and pleased at the improvement and in order that her husband might have a nibble at any time he had a taste for it, put some cheese in every room in the house. It is easy to imagine the aroma.

The next morning the doctor called at the house, and as soon as he opened the door he asked:

"When did he die?"—Hartford Post.

How It Works Out.

"I never tell funny stories in my speeches," remarked Senator Sorghum.

"The audience always enjoys them."

"Yes. A man hears you tell a funny story, and he thinks it is so good he tries to remember it. He regards you as a first rate fellow and feels thankful to you for giving him a new one. Then he tells it to the first friend he meets, and as he isn't a good story teller the friend doesn't laugh. Then he tries it on the blase hotel clerk and the stolid drug store man and several others, and by the time he gets home he concludes you have passed him a gold brick. He not only refuses to vote for you, but tells all his friends he doesn't think it's dignified to keep in office a man who tells funny stories."—Washington Star.

Spelled In Full.

"We had an editor in chief on our paper years ago who was a stickler for no abbreviations," said a veteran newspaper man. "He didn't believe in abbreviating anything but the word mister. The names of states had to be spelled out. One time one of the boys wrote a news story which contained this clause: 'And Mozart's mass was played.' The proofreader who got the story had been under the exacting direction of that editor for years, too many years to allow any proper name to get by him without being spelled out, so when he came to this 'mass' he 'rung' the word, and it came out 'Mozart's Massachusetts.'"—Omaha Bee.

Radical.

"I hear that your new school superintendent is rather radical."

"He is that," responded Farmer Haw. "He's cut out the higher headwork and the perforated tattling, and he's advising teachers to handle the children according to the rules of common sense. Oh, yes! Our new superintendent is radical, all right."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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The introduction of Plant Juice, as accomplished by Colonel Dillingham, embraces an educational feature of inestimable value to the public. It is actually a school of good health, where the proper manner of living, and avoiding disease and combating it when it gains a foothold, is taught the people through the Dillingham free lectures. One of these lectures is delivered at each of Colonel Dillingham's free entertainments by a competent assistant who has made a study of the common ills of the common people. There are no frills on these talks; rhetoric gives way to simplicity; technical terms are converted into simple language and they are especially designed for the comprehension of the people. The public is not slow in appreciating the educational value of these lectures and the liberal attendance at Colonel Dillingham's entertainments is largely due to the interest in these talks. The average man and woman knows but little concerning the human body and at these lectures they are made acquainted with the functions and diseases of the stomach, liver, kidneys, heart, and the blood; they are taught to avoid these diseases and how to cure them when they make their appearance.

That portion of the lectures pertaining to the treatment of disease is one of the most important features of these talks. The great value of herbal medicines which are now accepted as nature's own remedies for disease, is explained and the merit of such treatment is convincingly shown. Colonel Dillingham's representatives are substantiated in the claims for the Plant Juice remedies by ample evidence of a corroborative character in the form of letters, testimonials and affidavits from persons in Wilmington and in all parts of the country who have been relieved of sickness and affliction through the use of these remedies.

Their fame has spread to other towns in this locality, and numerous mail orders are being received by local druggists.

Irish Sarcasm.

A happy and humorous example of sarcasm as apart from repartee is afforded by the following anecdote. I quote it on the authority of a friend, who, I am afraid, was the villain of the incident: A most imperturbable man was followed from Westmoreland street, Dublin, over the O'Connell bridge to the general postoffice by two little street arabs, who importuned him for the end of his cigar. "Throw us the butt, sir! Ah, sir, throw us the butt!" cried the youths, but as the man did not betray the slightest consciousness of their existence they gave him up at last in despair and disgust. "Arrah, let him alone," said one, with the most scorching scorn. "Shure, it's a butt he's picked up himself."

I once heard a bumptious little man, who, acting as steward at athletic sports in Dublin, was very assertive in keeping back the crowd, thus addressed by an angry spectator: "If the consate was taken out of yez, ye'd be no bigger than a green gooseberry, and ye're as sour as wan already!"—London Standard.

His Mark.

Hewitt—Gruet can't write his own name. Jewett—I know it. Whenever he sees a man showing another man how to make a cross on an Australian ballot he thinks he is forging his signature.—New York Press.

The Pampered Pets.

"Hortense, call up Mr. De Millyuns and ask for Fido."

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"Carlo wishes to bark to him over the telephone."—Washington Herald.

If the brain does not sow corn, it plants thistles.—German Proverb.

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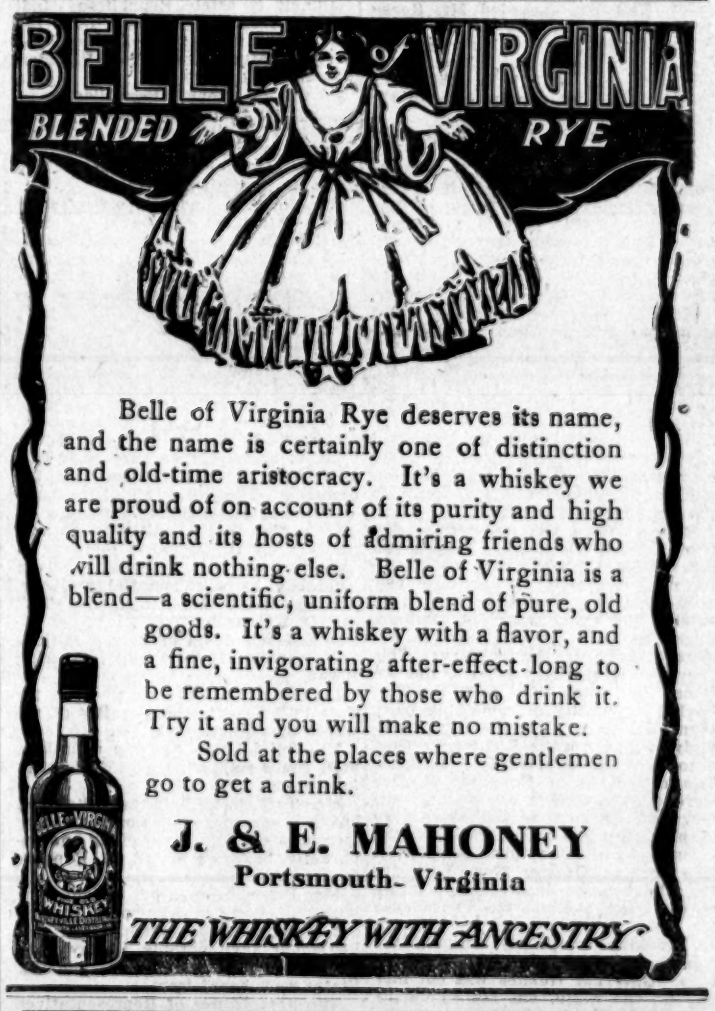

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A SWEEPING VICTORY WON BY REPUBLICANS

Overwhelming Majority for Taft in States Considered Doubtful.—Greater New York Gives Heavy Plurality for Taft and Hughes.—Western States Are Unchanged.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Nov. 4.—General election returns from throughout the United States, received up to an early hour this morning, show the following results:

William H. Taft, of Ohio, has been elected President with 298 votes secure and 13 doubtful.

Practically no change is indicated in the complexion of the National House of Representatives.

The United States Senate will retain its present Republican majority.

Governor Charles E. Hughes has been re-elected in New York State by about 76,000 plurality.

Indiana has gone for Taft by from 15,000 to 18,000 plurality.

Bryan apparently has carried Nebraska, although the Republicans still claim the State.

Ohio returns have been seriously delayed owing to the immense size of the ballot, but Taft has carried the State by a majority ranging from 50,000 to 75,000.

Taft carried New York City by about 11,000 plurality, this being the first time the city has given its vote to a Republican Presidential candidate since 1896, when Mr. McKinley had a small plurality.

Mr. Taft received a greater plurality in New York State than President Roosevelt did four years ago, the indications pointing to 202,000 for Mr. Taft, as against 175,000 for Mr. Roosevelt.

Hisgen, the Independence party candidate for President, received about 28,000 votes in Greater New York.

The indications are that Democratic Governors have been elected in several of the Middle Western States that have given their Presidential votes to Taft.

Mr. Taft has exceeded Mr. Roosevelt's plurality in New Jersey and in Massachusetts, as well as in New York. The Republican plurality fell off heavily in the Middle West in a manner thoroughly surprising to the Republican managers.

Speaker Cannon has been re-elected by his usual majority.

Representative Payne of New York, and Dalzell, of Pennsylvala, have been re-elected and the House of Representatives will probably continue under its old regime. Mr. Payne will have charge of the new tariff bill in the extra session which Mr. Taft will call immediately after March 4th next.

Missouri has returned to the "Solid South," on the Presidential ticket and elected Corherd as its Governor.

The first returns received today came from scattering districts in Massachusetts. The heavy pluralities indicated there for Mr. Taft seemed at once to dissipate any probability of a "landslide" for Mr. Bryan, as many Democrats had claimed, and the Republican managers at once began to put out claims of victory.

Returns from the up-country districts of New York State, where voting machines are largely used, were the next to arrive. It has been predicted for days that Erie county including the heavy vote of Buffalo, might be taken as an index to the drift throughout the country. This proved to be the case so far as the National ticket was concerned, Mr. Taft having a plurality of something more than 4,000 votes. Erie county surprisingly however, gave Lieutenant Governor Chanler a plurality of 3,000. The opponents of Governor Hughes were quick to claim a sweeping victory but returns from the other large counties and cities soon changed the complexion of the returns completely. The vote in Greater New York for Mr. Chanler was deeply disappointing to his friends, while the heavy vote for Taft, especially in the Borough of Brooklyn completely eclipsed the most sanguine hopes of the Republicans. Governor Hughes was cut heavily up the State, but not so deeply as to imperil his election, once the drift in his favor below the Bronx had begun to make itself felt.

Some of the figures relating to the Republican slump in States regarded as certain Republican are little short of amazing. Pennsylvania's immense plurality of over 500,000 had been in two. In Illinois, who gave Roosevelt 350,000 in 1904, has gone for Taft by about 170,000. The highest claim of the Republicans for Indiana is 15,000 as against approximately 93,000.

Iowa which gave Mr. Roosevelt 158,000 plurality in 1904 has dropped down to about 40,000 for Mr. Taft.

The returns of Missouri to the Democracy on the Republican ticket, wiped out a Republican plurality of 25,000 four years ago.

Maryland and West Virginia claimed by the Republicans but the returns are too meagre to justify a classification of either State. Massachusetts, New York and New Jersey were striking exceptions to the generally reduced Republican pluralities.

There has been a shrinkage of the Democratic vote in several of the Southern States, notably in Virginia and North Carolina.

Mr. Taft has carried Wisconsin by a plurality estimated at 75,000, a falling off from the Roosevelt plurality of 156,000 in 1900.

Kentucky has gone safely for Mr. Bryan by about 15,000.

Representative W. S. Cowherd has been elected Governor of Missouri over Hadley, Republican, by about 20,000.

Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, has probably been elected Governor of that State for a third term, although the State has gone safely for Mr. Taft.

The voting throughout the country has been exceptionally heavy, ideal weather conditions bringing out the country voters in full force.

Mr. Taft carried practically every so-called doubtful State except Nebraska, where the indications point to a Democratic victory.

Mr. Bryan has carried Nevada and Montana in addition to the "Solid South," which includes Missouri.

Returns from Colorado and from Maryland are too meagre to form a definite conclusion as to their ultimate alignment.

The latest advices are that Taft has carried Maryland by about 3,000.

New York, Nov. 3.—At 11 o'clock Democratic State Chairman William F. Conners, who with other prominent Democrats had received the returns at State headquarters said:

"I concede the election of Taft and Hughes. Taft pulled Hughes through. Chanler ran ahead of the rest of the ticket. We did very well up-State, but I thought we would do better in the Greater City. Although we have no exact figures on the remainder of the State ticket, it looks as though it would follow the head and be defeated."

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 3.—Taft and Sherman have carried Wisconsin by a plurality estimated at 75,000, and Governor Davidson, Republican, has been re-elected by a plurality close to Taft's.

William H. Taft, the Republican nominee, in all probability, has been elected President of the United States.

While returns from Indiana, Ohio, and West Virginia are coming in slowly, and it is yet impossible to state with any degree of certainty how those States will go, yet Mr. Taft's overwhelming victory in New York State and his success in other eastern States in which returns are practically complete indicate that no such landslide as Mr. Bryan predicted has occurred in favor of Democracy.

Illinois is safely Republican. Indications, late tonight, were that Taft carried the State by 170,000 with Deneen defeating former Vice President Stevenson by 100,000. The legislature will be strongly Republican.

Governor Hughes has probably been re-elected over Lieutenant Governor Chanler by about 50,000 majority. Taft has probably carried Greater New York by a small majority.

The New England States went solidly for Taft and the Republicans claim a landslide in New Jersey. Republican Chairman Hitchcock is claiming Maryland by from 10,000 to 12,000.

The Republicans have probably carried Michigan, but the Democrats have elected their nominee for Governor.

Latest indications are that Taft has carried Indiana by about 3,000, but Watson has probably been defeated for Governor by Marshall, Democrat.

Bryan has overturned the normal plurality of 1,600 in his home city of Lincoln, and estimates are that Taft will carry the city by not over 200 plurality. The State is still in doubt. The Republicans claim Minnesota by 20,000 plurality. Scattering returns indicate for Bryan 35,000 plurality in Missouri, and the Democrats claim Kentucky by a substantial majority. Incomplete returns indicate that Taft carries Kansas by 20,000, Iowa by 30,000, and Wisconsin by a good majority. Montana is very close, favoring Bryan.

Pennsylvania, of course, went for Taft by an estimated plurality of upwards of 200,000.

The Solid South remains unbroken, each State rolling up a safe plurality for Bryan.

Mr. Taft and Chairman Hitchcock began exchanging congratulatory messages early in the evening and apparently have no doubt of Republican success.

Mr. Bryan announced tonight that he would have no statement to give out tonight, and Chairman Mack said he would have nothing to say until Ohio, Indiana and other doubtful States were heard from.

The next House of Representatives will be Republican to a practically certainty, having already made a gain of two over the last Congress.

A very heavy vote was cast throughout the United States, the early returns indicating that Taft was running well up to Roosevelt's vote in 1904, while Bryan made good gains over Parker's vote. It is impossible to even approximate Taft's popular majority, at this hour.

Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 4.—Bryan's plurality in Kentucky, 13,000, eight and possibly nine Democratic congressmen elected, Republican loss of two seats. This is the probable story of the election in Kentucky at the close of a day which was marked by the polling of the largest vote in the history of the State.

Nevada.

Reno, Nev. Nov. 3.—Indications at 10:30 are that Bryan will carry Nevada by a substantial majority.

Montana.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 3.—Returns in Montana outside of Silver Bow point to a victory for the Democratic State ticket and Democratic Presidential electors.

South Carolina.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—South Carolina will give Bryan about 50,000 to 60,000 majority while the State and Congressional tickets are overwhelmingly Democratic. Later returns will not change the result in this State.

Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 3.—The election in Florida resulted in the usual Democratic majorities of from 18,000 to 20,000. Owing to the slow count of the long ballot, however, actual figures cannot be given tonight.

Louisiana.

New Orleans, Nov. 3.—Bryan swept Louisiana today, the returns indicating a majority of 40,000. Provestit, Democrat, was elected Supreme Court Justice and Shelby Taylor, Democrat, was elected Railroad Commissioner. All seven nominees for Congress were elected. The constitutional amendment exempting mortgages from taxation is believed to have passed.

Mississippi.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 3.—Bryan carried Mississippi by a majority of over 50,000. All eight Democratic nominees for Congress were elected. The vote for Taft showed a slight increase over the Republican vote in the last Presidential election.

Delaware.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 3.—Taft's indicated plurality in Delaware is 30,000 and the Republican State ticket, headed by Simeon S. Pennewell for Governor, and William H. Heald for Congress, is elected by about the same plurality with the exception that Davis, Republican candidate for Attorney General is probably defeated by Andrew C. Gray, Democrat. The successful candidate is a son of Judge George Gray and the popularity of his father counted strongly for him in all three of the counties.

West Virginia.

Wheeling, W. Va., November 3.—Wheeling is in in ferment of excitement following the closing of the polls. A tremendous vote has been polled, not only in Wheeling, but throughout the State. Early returns show Democratic gains, but not as yet in sufficient volume to overturn the Republican majority of 31,850 for Roosevelt four years ago. It will be even closer for Glascock Republican, and Bennett, Democrat, for Governor. The Republicans claim the State for Taft by a large majority, the entire State ticket and all five Congressmen. The Democrats declare the returns are not yet in in sufficient volume to justify making estimates either way though they express confidence that the State will go for Bryan and the State ticket will win by a larger plurality than the national candidates.

The election passed off quietly in all parts of the State so far as can be learned at an early hour tonight.

Georgia.

Savannah, Ga., November 3.—Bryan has carried Georgia but returns thus far received indicate a larger Taft and Watson vote than was generally expected. Of 4,565 votes in this (Chatham) county 1,800 were for Taft.

The Socialists and the Independence League polled a very small vote.

Atlanta, Ga., November 3.—Democratic candidates for Congress elected in all of the Georgia districts numbering eleven. Re-election of United State Senator Clay, Democrat, assured.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 3.—Bryan carried Georgia, but early returns indicate that the Democratic majority will be considerably reduced. Watson received majorities in three of the counties thus far reported and in two of the counties received a small majority. Taft carried two wards in the city of Atlanta.

Savannah. Ga., Nov. 3.—The heaviest Presidential vote ever cast in this (Chatham county was today's, as follows: Bryan 3,305, Taft 1,209, Chafin 18, Watson 17. Republicans gains are shown throughout the State.

Ohio.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 3.—Notwithstanding the meagreness of the early returns from Ohio, they seemed to give a fair indication of the result, although positive statement of plurality was impossible. All sections of the State, both city and country were included in the first returns and the same ratio continued which gave a plurality for Taft for President in his home State of anywhere from 100,000 up. Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo and Dayton are included in the first reports and in all the Taft vote was very heavy.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 3.—At 10 o'clock it seemed that Taft would have slightly more than a normal Republican plurality of close to 50,000, while Harris, Republican for Governor, was defeated. The indications at that hour was for election of Harmon, Democrat, by 15,000.

Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—41 precincts outside Lincoln and Omaha give Taft 5,392; Bryan 5,609. Same precincts in 1900 gave McKinley 4,778, Bryan 4,821. Bryan has probably caried the State by from 8,000 to 14,000.

Maryland.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 3.—Shortly before midnight Chairman Vandiver, at the Democratic State headquarters conceded Taft a plurality of about 2,500 in this city, but claimed the first and second Congressional districts by 5,000 and the State for Bryan by a small plurality.

That Baltimore city is Taft's by about 1,700, that the Democrats have elected Gill, Talbott and Covington to Congress and the Republicans Mudd and Kronmiller is all that can be said with any degree of certainty well after midnight.

Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 3.—The Oregonian states that Taft has carried Multonomah county by 8,000 and this will give Taft a plurality of 25,000 in the State.

Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 3.—While Taft has carried Michigan by a majority estimated at about 100,000 at 11 o'clock, the election for Governor is in doubt with Hemans Democrat, leading Governor Warner, Republican by 7,000 to 10,000. Many country districts in which Warner expects a very heavy majority have not yet reported. Hemans has broken into the Republican upper peninsula by carrying Marquette City. There are no early indications of pronounced Democratic gains in the Legislature.

Vermont.

White River Junction, Vt., Nov. 3.—Complete turns from the State of Vermont give Taft 39,592; Bryan 11,688, and Hisgen 729. Taft's plurality is 27,904. Four years ago Roosevelt had 40,677 and Parker 9,800, a Republican plurality of 30,677. The prohibition vote this year shows a gain for the entire State of 45 votes over four years ago.

Indiana.

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—A telegram from John E. Lamb, of Indiana, a member of the Democratic advisory committee, received at 8:30 o'clock says that Terre Haute and Indianapolis indicate that Bryan has carried the State but that the vote is close.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 3.—If the present ratio is maintained, Taft will have carried Indiana by 18,000.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 3.—Early returns from today's election from Indiana indicate that William H. Taft carried the State by from 5,000 to 15,000. These returns are mostly from cities and towns, and later reports may increase his plurality.

Thomas R. Marshall, Democratic candidate for Governor, at 10:30 o'clock tonight, was leading his Republican opponent, James E. Watson, by about 8,000 votes. The Republican State committee says the votes in the rural districts will overcome this lead.

Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 3.—Bryan has carried Arkansas by a reduced majority, according to scattered returns as the result of a heavy negro vote throughout the State. All Democratic congressmen were elected.

Tennessee.

Nashville Tenn., Nov. 3.—Incomplete returns from over the State indicate that Bryan will carry the State by the usual majority. The State Democratic ticket also elected by a large vote. The congressional representation will be unchanged.

Illinois.

Danville, Ill., Nov. 3.—Joseph G. Cannon has been re-elected to Congress by a majority of between 6,000 and 7,000. The returns are incomplete, but enough of them have been received to show that he will receive his normal vote throughout the district. In this city, 8 out of 19 precincts give Cannon a majority of 1,748. This is an increase of about 100 votes in the same precincts over his majority two years ago.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Indications at 9:50 tonight are that Taft has carried Illinois by 170,000. Deneen, the Republican candidate for Governor has been elected by approximately 100,000.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—The Republican national and State tickets gained a complete victory in Illinois, although the pluralities will probably fall short of those obtained by the party in the campaign of 1904.

Taft has carried the State by approximately 170,000 votes, although it will be some time tomorrow or Thursday before the exact figures can be obtained.

Charles S. Deenen, Republican candidate for Governor, ran far behind the national ticket, but has been elected by a plurality of about 100,000 over Adlaie E. Stevenson, his Democratic opponents. Deenen's greatest loses were suffered in Cook county which is his home.

Chicago and Cook county gave plurality to Taft of 50,0000 against 126,000 for Roosevelt four years ago. Outside of Cook county the plurality for Taft is far from 120,000. The plurality of President Roosevelt in 1904 was 304,939 for the State.

Stevenson, Democratic candidate for Governor, carried Chicago by about 8,000. He lost heavily, however, in the State outside of Cook county.

The Legislature, which is to select a successor to Senator Albert J. Hopkins, will be strongly Republican and it is likely that Mr. Hopkins will be re-elected.

In Chicago a hot fight was waged over the office of State's Attorney, but John E. W. Wayman, Republican, was elected by about 30,000.

The Socialist vote showed a considerable falling off from that of four years ago. Debs in 1904 received 69,225 votes. From the returns so far obtained it seems probably that he will not receive much over 40,000.

New York.

New York, November 3.—Governor Hughes won by over 50,000, the biennial battle of high bridge, which was waged again today as the regiments of ballots were marshaled.

Hughes came down to the city from up-State with an indicated plurality of about 121,000. Chanler's plurality south of High Bridge was approximately 68,000. The vote of two years ago was increased by about 150,000; Chanler surprised the Democratic leaders by an unexpectedly large vote in the rural districts, but lost tremendously in the city of Greater New York which his following had expected at least 100,000 plurality.

Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 3.—The full Democratic Congressional ticket has been elected in Alabama. Returns at midnight indicated the defeat of the proposed constittional amendment providing for the formation of new counties and the biennial sessions amendment. The good roads amendment seems to have carried. The normal Democratic majority has been maintained.

Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 3.—Democrats elect nine out of ten Congressmen. Slemp, Republican, is elected in the north by 3,000.

Bryan's estimated majority in this State on incomplete returns is 20,000. Saunders, Democrat, has carried the fifth district by from 600 to 800. Slemp, Republican, carried the Ninth by about 3,000.

Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 3.—While Taft carried the State by probably 80,000, the Governorship in Minnesota hangs in the balance, the result being so close that both Chairman Day of the Democratic State committee and Chairman Brown of the Republican committee, claim the State by small majorities.

Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—At 1 A. M. with 18 counties still to hear from the indications are that Taft has carried Pennsylvania by a plurality that will be nearer 400,000 than 300,000. The returns received show a considerable falling off in every county with the exception of two.

New Jersey.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 3.—Revised returns up to midnight indicate that Mr. Taft's plurality in New Jersey will be between 65,000 and 75,000. In all the counties outside of Essex and Hudson the vote did not very greatly vary from the plurality given Mr. Roosevelt in 1904 when he carried the State by 81,000. Roosevelt's plurality of 25,000 in Essex was expected to be cut down to about 18,000 for Taft. In Hudson Parker's plurality of 1,300 is expected to be increased to about 7,000 for Bryan. The Republicans elect seven of the ten Congressmen and the Democrats two, the Sixth district, which is now represented by a Democrat, William Hughes, being very close and in doubt.

Congressional Elections.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Up to midnight definite reports have been received from the 207 congressional districts out of a total of 391. Of these 119 showed the election of Republicans and 88 the election of Democrats. In the entire list there were only two changes in political complexion, and both were favorable to the Republicans.

Kansas.

Topeka, Kansas, Nov. 3.—Returns from "Outer Kansas" indicate a complete Republican victory, with W. R. Stubbs, Republican candidate for Governor, running slightly behind Mr. Taft. Chairman Dolley claims the State for the Republicans by 35,000.

Misrouri.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 3.—The Star at midnight says:

"Indications are that Bryan has carried Missouri, but unless his plurality is 20,000, Hadley, Republican, for Governor, will probably be elected."

Washington.

Seattle, Washington, Nov. 3.—Scattered returns throughout Washington indicate a plurality of at least 40,000 for Taft and the State Republican ticket. The Legislature will be almost wholly Republican.

Reports indicate both parties are generally holding their own.

Both parties have been counting anxiously upon gains from the doubtful districts of Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and other Mississippi Valley States, but the reports have so far failed to throw much light on the Congressional situation in that region.

There will be many familiar faces in the new Congress including Speaker Cannon and his chief lieutenants, Messrs. Payne, Dalzell, Tawney, McCall of Massachusetts, and Bartholdt of Missouri. There was especially vigorous opposition to Messrs. Cannon, Towney and Dalzell, but they are all reported as victorious. Burton, of Ohio, was re-elected. On the Democratic side Champ Clark and Mr. DeArmond of Missouri, Clayton of Alabama, Rainey of Illinois, Olli James of Kentucky, Ransdell of Louisiana and Francis Burton Harrison, and Fitzgerald of New York, are all certainly returned. Delaware will send a new Republican, Mr. Heald, in place of Representative Burton; Georgia a new Democrat in the person of Mr. Hughes in the place of Mr. Lewis; Illinois, James Graham, Democrat in place of Mr. Caldwell, Democrat, while Clarence B. Miller, Republican will occupy the seat of Adam Bede, of Minnesota.

For the first time for 16 years the 8th Mississippi district will be represented by another than John Sharp Williams for several years past the Democratic leader on the floor of the House. He failed to seek a re-nomination on account of his election to the Senate and it is presumed that he will be succeeded in leadership by Mr. Clark, of Missouri. Likewise Burke Cockran gives way to Michael F. Conry, who is also a Democrat. Charles Millington, Republican, will succeed Mr. Taft's running mate, Mr. Sherman as Representative of the 27th New York district. John Wesley Gaines, of Tennessee, will be succeeded by Joseph W. Byrnes, another Democrat.

At 1:30 o'clock returns had been received from 316 congressional districts out 391 in the country. Out of these the Republicans had 177, the Democrats 139, 11 were doubtful and from 64 districts no accurate returns had been received. Of this showing the Republican party at this hour lack 19 votes of being able to control the House.

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